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GEORGIA'S 12TH DISTRICT

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This Manual for faith-based organizations is an excellent guide to review and use.

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/faithbasedtoolkit.pdf>

What is Sequestration?

Sequestration, sometimes called the sequester, is a process that automatically cuts the federal budget across most departments and agencies.

Congress included the threat of sequestration in the [Budget Control Act of 2011](#) as a way to encourage compromise on deficit reduction efforts.

Congress couldn't agree on a budget by the deadline set in the Budget Control Act, so mandatory budget cuts were scheduled to go into effect on January 2, 2013.

Congress stopped the cuts from happening by passing the [American Taxpayer Relief Act](#) on January 2. This law pushed the budget cuts back until March 1, 2013.

Since Congress did not agree on a budget to reduce the deficit by March 1, sequestration has begun and \$85 billion in spending cuts are currently going into effect.

These reports give detailed information about the amount that programs may be cut and which programs are exempt from sequestration:

- [White House Office of Management and Budget Sequestration Reports to the President and Congress](#)
 - [Congressional Budget Office Report on Estimated Impact of Automatic Budget Enforcement Procedures Specified in the Budget Control Act](#)
 - [Congressional Research Service Report on Budget “Sequestration” and Selected Program Exemptions and Special Rules”](#) (PDF)
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Please review each department’s General Grant and Funding Overview. These overviews are the key web pages on each departmental website dedicated to the agency’s funding opportunities. Check back often to note the department updates and use these sources to assist you in your planning.

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Grants and Loans Overview

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USDA posts rural funding guide for local governments

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recently posted a useful guide outlining federal funding programs available to support rural communities.

[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/toolsKeyResources.html) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life. It is a collaborative effort among USDA, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Department of Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency.

The guide has key information on funding and technical assistance opportunities available from the four agencies, as well as examples of how rural communities across the country have benefitted from federal resources. [The resource guide can be accessed here.](http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/toolsKeyResources.html)

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Tools and Key Resources

One of the goals of the Partnership for Sustainable Communities is to help communities develop and support neighborhoods that provide transportation choices and affordable housing while increasing economic competitiveness and directing resources toward places with existing infrastructure.

To help support these communities, the Partnership agencies compiled this list of useful tools and key resources. All of the resources here have been developed by or sponsored by Partnership agencies. Click on the categories in the sidebar on the right to access these materials.

Rural Communities

[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life.

[Supporting Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 52p 3MB)
Produced by the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and USDA, this report features case studies showcasing rural accomplishments, sample funding and technical assistance opportunities, and performance measures rural communities can use to assess their progress.

[Putting Smart Growth to Work in Rural Communities](#)
Focuses on smart growth strategies that can help guide growth in rural areas while protecting natural and working lands and preserving the rural character of existing communities.

[US Department of Agriculture Rural Development Program](#)
Provides resources, tools, and programs to assist communities with improving the economy and quality of life in rural America.

[US Department of Agriculture Atlas of Rural and Small Town America](#)
An interactive data tool to view statistics on people, jobs, and agriculture in your community.

Key Resources Links

- Partnership Publications
- Clean Air and Water
- Community Planning
- Economic Development & Brownfields Redevelopment
- Energy Efficiency
- Equity & Environmental Justice
- Housing Choices
- Performance Measures/Data
- Rural Communities
- Transportation Choices

Links to Partnership Agencies

- Department of Housing and Urban Development**
Office of Sustainable Housing and Communities
- Department of Transportation**
Office of Transportation Policy
- Environmental Protection Agency**

<http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/toolsKeyResources.html>



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This FTC website to help you deter, detect, and defend against identity theft. You can learn how to avoid theft, or learn what to do if your identity is stolen.

[Farm Loans](#)

FSA makes direct and guaranteed farm ownership and operating loans to family-size farmers and ranchers who cannot obtain commercial credit from a bank, Farm Credit System institution, or other lender. FSA loans can be used to purchase land, livestock, equipment, feed, seed, and supplies. Loans can also be used to construct buildings or make farm improvements.

[Housing Assistance](#)

USDA provides homeownership opportunities to low- and moderate-income rural Americans through several loan, grant, and loan guarantee programs. The programs also make funding available to individuals to finance vital improvements necessary to make their homes decent, safe, and sanitary. USDA Multi-Family Housing Programs offer Rural Rental Housing Loans to provide affordable multi-family rental housing for very low-, low-, and moderate-income families; the elderly; and persons with disabilities. In addition, rental assistance is available to eligible families.

[Rural Development Loan Assistance](#)

USDA Rural Development forges partnerships with rural communities, funding projects that bring housing, community facilities, business guarantees, utilities and other services to rural America. USDA provides technical assistance and financial backing for rural businesses and cooperatives to create quality jobs in rural areas. Rural Development promotes the President's National Energy Policy and ultimately the nation's energy security by engaging the entrepreneurial spirit of rural America in the development of renewable energy and energy efficiency improvements. Rural Development works with low-income individuals, State, local and Indian tribal governments, as well as private and nonprofit organizations and user-owned cooperatives.

Utility Services

USDA supports deployment of reliable and affordable water, waste treatment, electric power and telecommunications services, including broadband, to help rural areas expand economic opportunities and improve the quality of life for rural residents. Rural Development provides funding opportunities in the form of payments, grants, loans, and loan guarantees, for the development and commercialization of vital utility services. These programs revitalize rural communities with a variety of improvements, and create sustainable opportunities for wealth, new jobs, and increased economic activity in rural America.

Crop and Livestock Insurance

USDA helps producers manage their business risks. The mission of USDA's Risk Management Agency (RMA) is to promote, support, and regulate sound risk management solutions to preserve and strengthen the economic stability of America's agricultural producers. As part of this mission, RMA operates and manages the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC).

RMA has three divisions: Insurance Services, Product Management, and Risk Compliance. Seventeen private-sector insurance companies sell and service the policies. RMA develops and/or approves the premium rate, administers premium and expense subsidies, approves and supports products, and reinsures the companies. RMA also sponsors educational and outreach programs and seminars on the general topic of risk.

Federal State Marketing Improvement Program

This matching grant program, also known as FSMIP, provides matching funds to State Departments of Agriculture and other appropriate State agencies to assist in exploring new market opportunities for food and agricultural products, and to encourage research and innovation aimed at improving the efficiency and performance of the marketing system.

Specialty Crop Block Grant Program

The SCBGP funds can be requested to enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops. Specialty crops are defined as fruits and vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, and nursery crops (including floriculture).

The Farmers Market Promotion Program

The FMPP was created through a recent amendment of the Farmer-to-Consumer Direct Marketing Act of 1976. The grants, authorized by the FMPP, are targeted to help improve and expand domestic farmers markets, roadside stands, community-supported agriculture programs and other direct producer-to-consumer market opportunities.

Organic Cost Share Program

AMS administers two organic certification cost share programs. Each program provides cost share assistance, through participating States, to organic producers and/or organic handlers. Recipients must receive initial certification or continuation of certification from a USDA accredited certifying agent (ACA).

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Agricultural Marketing Service

2014 Farmers Market Promotion Program Grants

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-AMS-FMPP-2014

Funding Opportunity Title:

2014 Farmers Market Promotion
Program Grants

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:	150
CFDA Number(s):	10.168 -- Farmers' Market and Local Food Promotion Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 8, 2014
Creation Date:	May 8, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 20, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 20, 2014
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$15,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Award Floor:	\$15,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	<p>1. Agricultural Business. A business entity that provides, holds, delivers, transports, offers, or sells agricultural products or services. 2. Agricultural Cooperative. A group-owned or member-owned entity or business that provides, offers, or sells agricultural products or services for the mutual benefit of the members thereof. 3. Producer Network. A producer group- or member-owned organization or business that provides, offers, or sells agricultural products or services through a common distribution system for the mutual benefit of the members thereof. 4. Producer Associations. An organization or other business that assists or serves, represents, or serves producers or a producer network. 5. Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) Network. A formal group of farms that work collectively to offer consumers regular (usually weekly) deliveries of locally-grown farm products during one or more harvest season(s), often on a subscription or membership basis. Customers have access to a selected share or range of farm products offered by the group of farmers based on partial or total advance payment of a subscription or membership fee. 6. CSA Associations.</p>

An organization or other business that assists or serves, represents, or services CSAs or CSA networks. 7.

Local Government. Any unit of government within a State, including a county, borough, municipality, city, town, township, parish, local public authority, special district, school district, intrastate district, council of governments, or other instrumentalities of local government.

8. Nonprofit Corporation. Any organization or institution, including nonprofits with State or IRS 501 (c) status and accredited institutions of higher education, where no part of the net earnings of which inure to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual. 9. Public Benefit

Corporation. A corporation organized to construct or operate a public improvement, the profits from which inure to the benefit of a State(s) or to the people thereof. 10. Economic

Development Corporation. An organization whose mission is the improvement, maintenance, development and/or marketing or promotion of a specific geographic area. 11. Regional Farmers Market

Authority. An entity that establishes and enforces regional, State, or county policies and jurisdiction over State, regional, or county farmers markets.

12. Tribal Government. A governing body or a governmental agency of any Indian tribe, band, nation, or other organized group or community (including any native village as defined in section 3 of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, 85 Stat. 688 (43 U.S.C. § 1602)) certified by the Secretary of the Interior as eligible for the special programs and services provided through the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Agency Name:

Agricultural Marketing Service

Description:

The Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) has announced the availability of approximately \$15 million in competitive grant funds in fiscal year (FY) 2014 to be awarded through the Farmers Market Promotion Program. The Farmers' Market Promotion Program (FMPP) is a component of the Farmers Marketing and Local Food Promotion Program (FMLFPP), which is authorized by the Farmer-to-Consumer Direct Marketing Act of 1946, as amended (7 U.S.C. 3005). The FMPP is a competitive grant program administered by the Marketing Services Division (MSD) of AMS. The goals of FMPP grants are to increase domestic consumption of and access to locally and regionally produced agricultural products, and to develop new market opportunities for farm and ranch operations serving local markets by developing, improving, expanding, and providing outreach, training, and technical assistance to, or assisting in the development, improvement, and expansion of domestic farmers' markets, roadside stands, community-supported agriculture programs, agritourism activities, and other direct producer-to-consumer market opportunities. The minimum FY2014 FMPP award per grant is \$15,000 and the maximum is \$100,000. An applicant is limited to no more than one grant in a grant-funding year. FMPP funding will be available for use beginning in October 2014. Project work should begin in October 2014 and end not later than October 2016. Matching funds are not required. NOTE: All applicants must follow the 2014 FMPP Announcement for application instructions and requirements found on the FMPP website at www.ams.usda.gov/FMPP.

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

[FMPP website](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254875>

Agricultural Marketing Service
2014 Local Food Promotion Program Grants

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-AMS-LFPP-2014
Funding Opportunity Title:	2014 Local Food Promotion Program Grants
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	200
CFDA Number(s):	10.172 -- Local Food Promotion Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	May 8, 2014
Creation Date:	May 8, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 20, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 20, 2014
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$15,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Award Floor:	\$5,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	1. Agricultural Business. A business entity that provides, holds, delivers, transports, offers, or sells agricultural products or services. 2. Agricultural Cooperative. A group-owned or member-owned entity or business that provides, offers, or sells agricultural

products or services for the mutual benefit of the members thereof. 3. Producer Network. A producer group- or member-owned organization or business that provides, offers, or sells agricultural products or services through a common distribution system for the mutual benefit of the members thereof. 4. Producer Associations. An organization or other business that assists or serves, represents, or serves producers or a producer network. 5. Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) Network. A formal group of farms that work collectively to offer consumers regular (usually weekly) deliveries of locally-grown farm products during one or more harvest season(s), often on a subscription or membership basis. Customers have access to a selected share or range of farm products offered by the group of farmers based on partial or total advance payment of a subscription or membership fee. 6. CSA Associations. An organization or other business that assists or serves, represents, or services CSAs or CSA networks. 7. Local Government. Any unit of government within a State, including a county, borough, municipality, city, town, township, parish, local public authority, special district, school district, intrastate district, council of governments, or other instrumentalities of local government. 8. Nonprofit Corporation. Any organization or institution, including nonprofits with State or IRS 501 (c) status and accredited institutions of higher education, where no part of the net earnings of which inure to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual. 9. Public Benefit Corporation. A corporation organized to construct or operate a public improvement, the profits from which

inure to the benefit of a State(s) or to the people thereof. 10. Economic Development Corporation. An organization whose mission is the improvement, maintenance, development and/or marketing or promotion of a specific geographic area. 11. Regional Farmers Market Authority. An entity that establishes and enforces regional, State, or county policies and jurisdiction over State, regional, or county farmers markets. 12. Tribal Government. A governing body or a governmental agency of any Indian tribe, band, nation, or other organized group or community (including any native village as defined in section 3 of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, 85 Stat. 688 (43 U.S.C. § 1602)) certified by the Secretary of the Interior as eligible for the special programs and services provided through the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Agency Name:

Agricultural Marketing Service

Description:

The Local Food Promotion Program is a component of the Farmers Marketing and Local Food Promotion Program (FMLFPP), authorized by the Farmer-to-Consumer Direct Marketing Act of 1946, as amended (7 U.S.C. 3005). Under FMLFPP, two competitive grant programs are available: the Farmers' Market Promotion Program (FMPP) and the Local Food Promotion Program (LFPP). LFPP offers grant funds with a 25% match to support the development and expansion of local and regional food business enterprises to increase domestic consumption of, and access to, locally and regionally produced agricultural products, and to develop new market opportunities for farm and ranch operations serving local markets. Two types of project applications are accepted under

LFPP—planning grants and implementation grants. Applicants can apply for either but will receive only one type of grant in the same grant cycle. LFPP Planning Grants are used in the planning stages of establishing or expanding a local and regional food business enterprise. Activities can include but are not limited to market research, feasibility studies, and business planning. A minimum of \$5,000 and a maximum of \$25,000 will be awarded for any one proposal, and the grants must be completed within a 12 month period; extension will not exceed an additional 6 months. LFPP Implementation Grants are used to establish a new local and regional food business enterprise, or to improve or expand an existing local or regional food business enterprise. Activities can include but are not limited to training and technical assistance for the business enterprise and/or for producers working with the business enterprise; outreach and marketing to buyers and consumers; working capital; and non-construction infrastructure improvements to business enterprise facilities or information technology systems. A minimum of \$25,000 and a maximum of \$100,000 will be awarded for any one proposal, and the grants must be completed within a 24 month grant period; extension will not exceed an additional 6 months.

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

[LFPP Website](#)

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Business and Cooperative Programs
Small Socially Disadvantaged Producer Grant
And Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	RDBCP-SSDPG-2014
Funding Opportunity Title:	Small Socially Disadvantaged Producer Grant
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Business and Commerce
Category Explanation:	The primary objective of the SSDPG program is to provide technical assistance to small, socially-disadvantaged agricultural producers through eligible cooperatives and cooperative development centers. Grants are awarded on a competitive basis.
Expected Number of Awards:	20
CFDA Number(s):	10.771 -- Rural Cooperative Development Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 4, 2014
Creation Date:	May 4, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 24, 2014 Paper copies must be postmarked and mailed, shipped, or sent overnight no later than June 30, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. You may also hand carry your application to one of our field offices, but it must be received by close of business on the deadline date. Late applications are not eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Electronic copies must be received by http://www.grants.gov no later than midnight eastern time June 24, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 24, 2014 Paper copies must be postmarked and mailed, shipped, or

sent overnight no later than June 30, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. You may also hand carry your application to one of our field offices, but it must be received by close of business on the deadline date. Late applications are not eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Electronic copies must be received by <http://www.grants.gov> no later than midnight eastern time June 24, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding.

Archive Date:

Jul 24, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$3,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$200,000

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Grants may be made to Cooperatives, Groups of Cooperatives, and Cooperative Development Centers where a majority of the board of directors or governing board is comprised of individuals who are members of Socially-Disadvantaged Groups. You must be able to verify your legal structure in the State in which you are incorporated. Grants may not be made to public bodies or to individuals.

Agency Name:

Business and Cooperative Programs

Description:

The Rural Business-Cooperative Service announces the availability of \$3,000,000, in competitive grant funds for the FY 2014 Small Socially-Disadvantaged Producer Grants (SSDPG) program as authorized by the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014. We are requesting proposals from applicants who will provide technical assistance to small, socially-disadvantaged agricultural producers in rural areas. Eligible applicants include Cooperatives, Groups of Cooperatives, and Cooperative Development Centers. The maximum

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award per grant is \$200,000. The grant period is limited to a one-year timeframe.

[Program Web Site](#)

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Business and Cooperative Programs
Rural Cooperative Development Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

RDBCP-RCDG-2014

Funding Opportunity Title:

Rural Cooperative Development Grant

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

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Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Business and Commerce

Category Explanation:

The primary objective of the RCDG program is to improve the economic condition of rural areas by assisting individuals or entities in the startup, expansion or operational improvement of rural cooperatives and other business entities. Grants are awarded competitively on an annual basis to Rural Cooperative Development Centers who in turn provide technical assistance to individuals and entities.

Expected Number of Awards:

85

CFDA Number(s):

10.771 -- Rural Cooperative Development Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

May 4, 2014

Creation Date:

May 4, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 24, 2014 Paper applications must be postmarked and mailed, shipped, or sent overnight no later than June 30, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. You may also hand carry your application to one of our field

	<p>offices, but it must be received by close of business on the deadline date. Late applications are not eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Electronic copies must be received by http://www.grants.gov no later than midnight eastern time June 24, 2014 to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Jun 24, 2014 Paper applications must be postmarked and mailed, shipped, or sent overnight no later than June 30, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. You may also hand carry your application to one of our field offices, but it must be received by close of business on the deadline date. Late applications are not eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Electronic copies must be received by http://www.grants.gov no later than midnight eastern time June 24, 2014 to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Jul 24, 2014</p>
Current Closing Date for Applications:	
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$5,800,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	You must be a nonprofit corporation or an institution of higher education to apply for this program. Public bodies and individuals cannot apply for this program.
Agency Name:	Business and Cooperative Programs
Description:	The primary objective of the RCDG program is to improve the economic condition of rural areas by assisting individuals or entities in the startup, expansion or operational improvement of rural cooperatives and other business entities. Grants are awarded competitively on an annual basis to Rural Cooperative Development Centers who in turn provide technical assistance to individuals and entities.
Link to Additional Information:	Program Web Site
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the

full announcement electronically,
please contact:

Program Manager Phone 202-690-
1376

[Program Contact](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254669>

Business and Cooperative Programs
Rural Business Opportunity Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	RDBCP-RBOG-2014
Funding Opportunity Title:	Rural Business Opportunity Grant
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	The primary objective of the RBOG program is to promote sustainable economic development in rural communities with exceptional needs. Grants are awarded on a competitive basis.
Expected Number of Awards:	25
CFDA Number(s):	10.773 -- Rural Business Opportunity Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 4, 2014
Creation Date:	May 4, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 13, 2014 Paper applications must be postmarked and mailed, shipped, or sent overnight no later than June 17, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Paper applications should be sent to the state office located in the state where the project is located. An applicant may also hand carry their application to Rural Development field office, but it must be received by close of business on the deadline date. If you would like to submit an electronic application, you must follow the instructions for the RBOG

	<p>funding announcement on www.grants.gov. If you would like to submit an electronic application, your application must be received by http://www.grants.gov no later than midnight eastern time June 13, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding.</p>
Current Closing Date for Applications:	<p>Jun 13, 2014 Paper applications must be postmarked and mailed, shipped, or sent overnight no later than June 17, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding. Paper applications should be sent to the state office located in the state where the project is located. An applicant may also hand carry their application to Rural Development field office, but it must be received by close of business on the deadline date. If you would like to submit an electronic application, you must follow the instructions for the RBOG funding announcement on www.grants.gov. If you would like to submit an electronic application, your application must be received by http://www.grants.gov no later than midnight eastern time June 13, 2014, to be eligible for FY 2014 grant funding.</p>
Archive Date:	Jul 13, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,250,000
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Grants may be made to governmental entities, nonprofit corporations, institutions of higher education, and Indian tribes.
Agency Name:	Business and Cooperative Programs
Description:	<p>The primary objective of the RBOG program is to promote sustainable economic development in rural communities with exceptional needs. Grants are awarded on a competitive basis.</p>

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

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Utilities Programs

Revolving Fund Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

RDRUS-14-01-RFP

Funding Opportunity Title:

Revolving Fund Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Community Development

Environment

Health

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

3

CFDA Number(s):

10.864 -- Grant Program to Establish a Fund for Financing Water and Wastewater Projects

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Apr 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Apr 10, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

May 27, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

May 27, 2014

Archive Date:

Jun 26, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$1,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$100,000

Eligible Applicants:

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Agency Name:

Utilities Programs

Description:

The Revolving Fund Program (RFP) has been established to assist communities with water or wastewater systems. Qualified private, non-profit organizations, who are selected for funding, will receive RFP grant funds to establish a lending program for eligible entities. Eligible entities for

the revolving loan fund will be the same entities eligible to obtain a loan, loan guarantee, or grant from the Water and Waste Disposal loan and grant programs administered by RUS, under 7 U.S.C.1926(a)(1) and (2). As grant recipients, the non-profit organizations will set up a revolving loan fund to provide loans to finance predevelopment costs of water or wastewater projects, or short-term small capital projects not part of the regular operation and maintenance of current water and wastewater systems. The amount of financing to an eligible entity shall not exceed \$100,000.00 and shall be repaid in a term not to exceed 10 years. The rate shall be determined in the approved grant work plan.

Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:

[Revolving Fund Program](#)

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202-720-0499
[email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253678>

Utilities Programs

Household Water Well Grant Program

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	RDRUS-14-01-HWWS
Funding Opportunity Title:	Household Water Well Grant Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Community Development Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	10.862 -- Household Water Well System Grant Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

Posted Date: Apr 10, 2014
Creation Date: Apr 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications: May 27, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications: May 27, 2014
Archive Date: Jun 26, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,019,000
Award Ceiling: \$11,000
Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Agency Name: Utilities Programs
Description: The HWWS Grant Program has been established to help individuals with low to moderate incomes finance the costs of household water wells that they own or will own. The HWWS Grant Program is authorized under Section 306E of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (CONACT), 7 USC 1926e. The CONACT authorizes the RUS to make grants to qualified private non-profit organizations to establish lending programs for household water wells. As the grant recipients, private non-profit organizations will receive HWWS grants to establish lending programs that will provide water well loans to individuals. The individuals, as loan recipients, may use the loans to construct, refurbish, and service their household well systems. A loan may not exceed \$11,000 and will have a term up to 20 years at a one percent annual interest rate
Link to Additional Information: <http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/UWP-individualwellsystems.html>
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253683>

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Farm Business Management and Benchmarking Competitive Grants Program

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-FBMB-004523
Funding Opportunity Title:	Farm Business Management and Benchmarking Competitive Grants Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.319 -- Farm Business Management and Benchmarking Competitive Grants Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 24, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 24, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 30, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 30, 2014
Archive Date:	Jun 29, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,300,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applications may be submitted by numerous entities. Pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 450 i(b)(7), eligible applicants means: (A) State agricultural experiment stations; (B) Colleges and universities; (C) University research foundations; (D) Other research institutions and organizations; (E) Federal agencies; (F) National laboratories; (G) Private organizations or corporations; (H) Individuals; or (I) Any group consisting of two (2) or more of the entities described in subparagraphs (A) through (H).
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The Farm Business Management and Benchmarking (FBMB) Competitive Grants Program provides funds to (1) improve the farm management

knowledge and skills of agricultural producers; and (2) establish and maintain a national, publicly available farm financial management database to support improved farm management.

Link to Additional Information:

[Farm Business Management and Benchmarking Competitive Grants Program](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254259>

Forest Service

2014 Hazardous Fuels Wood to Energy Grant Program Request for Proposals Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-FS-WERC-2014-W2E

Funding Opportunity Title:

2014 Hazardous Fuels Wood to Energy Grant Program Request for Proposals

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Community Development
Energy
Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

12

CFDA Number(s):

10.674 -- Forest Products Lab:
Technology Marketing Unit (TMU)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Apr 22, 2014

Creation Date:

Apr 22, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 3, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 3, 2014

Archive Date:

Jul 3, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$2,800,000

Award Ceiling:	\$250,000
Award Floor:	\$25,000
Eligible Applicants:	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) State governments For profit organizations other than small businesses Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education County governments City or township governments Small businesses Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Special purpose districts (e.g., public utilities districts, fire districts, conservation districts, or ports)
Agency Name:	Forest Service
Description:	The U.S Forest Service Wood Education and Resource Center (WERC) requests proposals for wood energy projects that require engineering services necessary for final design and cost analysis. The Hazardous Fuels Wood to Energy (W2E) Grant Program will fund projects for which some or all of the woody biomass is generated from National Forest Service System lands as a result of hazardous fuel treatments, forest restoration activities, insect and disease mitigation, catastrophic weather events, or thinning overstocked stands. Projects that use woody biomass from multiple land ownerships (State, Tribal, or private lands) and multiple sources (wood products facilities, urban wood waste, etc.) will be considered as long as some of the woody biomass is generated from National Forest System lands. Projects that do not anticipate using any wood from

National Forest System lands will not be eligible. The woody biomass must be used in commercially proven wood energy systems to produce thermal, electrical, liquid, or gaseous energy. Examples of projects might include, but are not limited to, engineering design of a woody biomass boiler that generates steam at a sawmill, hospital, or school; a nonpressurized hot water system; a biomass power generation facility; or geographic or sector-based clusters of wood energy systems. The lack of a professional engineering design often limits the ability of an applicant to secure Federal, State, or private funding. This program is intended for applicants seeking financial assistance to complete the necessary engineering design work, including permitting or other preconstruction analyses, required to secure public or private funding for construction of wood energy projects. An example of public funding is the USDA Rural Development grants and loan programs that might help fund construction of such facilities. This year, the W2E grant emphasizes geographic or sector-based clusters (e.g. hospitals, prisons, inmate conservation camps, school campuses, poultry houses, etc.) that should leverage project similarities to improve economies of scale and expand the use of woody biomass for energy. Completed electronic applications are due to the Regional Biomass Coordinator designated for your Forest Service region by 11:59 p.m. on June 3, 2014. Each submittal must consist of two separate PDF (or Word) files, as follows: 1. Proposal narrative and appendices (W2E Application Part 1 & Part 2, and Appendices) 2. Financial forms (W2E Application Part 3) For more details,

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Contact Information:**

visit <http://www.na.fs.fed.us/werc/> and click on the link to 2014 Wood to Energy Grant Program.

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WERC Phone 304-285-1530

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Critical Agricultural Materials Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-OP-004526
Funding Opportunity Title:	Critical Agricultural Materials
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.200 -- Grants for Agricultural Research, Special Research Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 1, 2014
Creation Date:	May 1, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 27, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 27, 2014
Archive Date:	Jul 27, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applications may only be submitted by any person, or public or private agency or organization.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The Critical Agricultural Materials Competitive Grants Program supports product development, demonstration and validation of product performance under operational field conditions,

specifically for paints, coatings, and adhesives for composites which are manufactured from domestically produced agricultural materials and are of strategic and industrial importance to benefit the economy, defense and general well-being of the Nation. Many such products replace petroleum-based products, and offer opportunities to create new businesses and new markets for agricultural materials.

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Agricultural Marketing Service
Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-AMS-FSMIP-2014
Funding Opportunity Title:	Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.156 -- Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	May 1, 2014
Creation Date:	May 1, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 16, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 16, 2014
Archive Date:	Jul 16, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000

Award Ceiling:	\$150,000
Award Floor:	\$25,000
Eligible Applicants:	State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Agricultural Marketing Service
Description:	FSMIP provides matching funds on a competitive basis to assist eligible entities explore new market opportunities and to encourage research and innovation aimed at improving the efficiency and performance of the U.S. agricultural marketing system. Proposals may focus on addressing barriers, overcoming challenges or realizing opportunities at any stage of the marketing chain including direct, wholesale, and retail. Proposals must have a strong marketing focus, must involve research, and the primary beneficiaries must be agricultural producers and agribusinesses. Proposals that involve training or education programs must include a research component that tests the effects of the program on the marketing goals. Proposals may involve small, medium or large scale agricultural entities but should benefit multiple producers or agribusinesses. Proposals that benefit one business or individual will not be considered. Proposals that address issues of importance at the State, multi-State, or national level are appropriate for FSMIP. Of particular interest are proposals that reflect a collaborative approach between the States, academia, the farm sector and other appropriate entities and stakeholders. FSMIP will also consider unique proposals on a smaller scale that may serve as pilot projects or case studies useful as models for others. Such proposals should include an objective to analyze opportunities and formulate

recommendations with regard to how the project could be scaled up or expanded to other regions. FSMIP will hold a teleconference to review the Request for Applications and answer questions on Tuesday, May 13 at 2:00 pm Eastern time. If you would like to participate in the teleconference, please send an email to janise.zygmont@ams.usda.gov before the teleconference date to receive instructions.

Link to Additional Information:

[FSMIP website - including link to Request for Applications](#)

Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Janise Zygmont Staff Officer Phone
202-720-5024
[FSMIP Staff Officer](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254570>

Foreign Agricultural Service

Notice of Funds Availability - Quality Samples Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	QSP2015
Funding Opportunity Title:	Notice of Funds Availability - Quality Samples Program
Opportunity Category:	Mandatory
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.605 -- Quality Samples Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 17, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 17, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Archive Date:	May 20, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$75,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligibility" for clarification)
Any United States private or government entity with a demonstrated role or interest in exporting U.S. agricultural commodities may apply to the program. Government organizations consist of Federal, State, and local agencies. Private organizations include non-profit trade associations, universities, agricultural cooperatives, state regional trade groups, and profit-making entities.

Agency Name:

Foreign Agricultural Service

Description:

Purpose: QSP is designed to encourage the development and expansion of export markets for U.S. agricultural commodities by assisting U.S. entities in providing commodity samples to potential foreign importers to promote a better understanding and appreciation for the high quality of U.S. agricultural commodities.

Link to Additional Information:

[Quality Samples Program](#)

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Foreign Agricultural Service

Notice of Funds Availability - Market Access Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

MAP2015

Funding Opportunity Title:

Notice of Funds Availability - Market Access Program

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):	10.601 -- Market Access Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Apr 17, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 17, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Archive Date:	May 20, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$200,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	To participate in the MAP, an applicant must be a nonprofit U.S. agricultural trade organization, a nonprofit SRTG, a U.S. agricultural cooperative, or a State government agency. A small-sized U.S. commercial entity may participate through a MAP Participant.
Agency Name:	Foreign Agricultural Service
Description:	The MAP is designed to create, expand, and maintain foreign markets for U.S. agricultural commodities and products through cost-share assistance. Financial assistance under the MAP will be made available on a competitive basis, and applications will be reviewed against the evaluation criteria contained herein and in the MAP regulations. All U.S. agricultural commodities, except tobacco, are eligible for consideration.
Link to Additional Information:	Market Access Program
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254056>

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Biodiesel Fuel Education Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-OP-004529
Funding Opportunity Title:	Biodiesel Fuel Education Program
Opportunity Category:	Mandatory
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.306 -- Biodiesel
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 6, 2014
Creation Date:	May 6, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 27, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 27, 2014
Archive Date:	Jul 27, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$960,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applications may only be submitted by nonprofit organizations and institutions of higher education that have demonstrated knowledge of biodiesel fuel production, use, or distribution; and the demonstrated ability to conduct educational and technical support programs.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The goals of the Biodiesel Fuel Education Program as originally established in Sec. 9004 of the Farm Security Investment Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C. 8104) were to stimulate biodiesel consumption and to stimulate the development of a biodiesel infrastructure. The information and outreach activities to raise awareness of the benefits of biodiesel fuel use complemented the incentives provided by the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EPAct) (Pub. L. 109-58), and the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (Pub. L. 110-140). As a result

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of increased awareness and consumption of biodiesel over the past decade, the FY 2014 Biodiesel Education program will focus on educational programs which will support advances in infrastructure, technology transfer, fuel quality, fuel safety and increasing feedstock production.

[Biodiesel Fuel Education Program](#)

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Modifications:

Foreign Agricultural Service
Notice of Funds Availability - Emerging Marketing Program
Modification 1

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

EMP2015

Funding Opportunity Title:

Notice of Funds Availability -
Emerging Marketing Program

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

10.603 -- Emerging Markets Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Apr 17, 2014

Creation Date:

Apr 17, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

May 19, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

May 19, 2014

Archive Date:

May 20, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$10,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Any U.S. private or government entity (e.g., universities, non-profit trade associations, agricultural cooperatives, state regional trade groups (SRTGs), state departments of agriculture, federal agencies, profit-making entities, and consulting businesses) with a demonstrated role or interest in exports of U.S. agricultural commodities or products may apply to the program. Proposals from research and consulting organizations will be considered if they provide evidence of substantial participation by and financial support from the U.S. industry. For-profit entities are also eligible but may not use program funds to conduct private business, promote private self-interests, supplement the costs of normal sales activities or promote their own products or services beyond specific uses approved by CCC in a given project.
Agency Name:	Foreign Agricultural Service
Description:	The EMP assists U.S. entities in developing, maintaining, or expanding exports of U.S. agricultural commodities and products by funding activities that improve emerging markets' food and rural business systems, including reducing potential trade barriers in such markets. The EMP is intended primarily to support export market development efforts of the private sector, but EMP resources may also be used to assist public organizations. All U.S. agricultural commodities, except tobacco, are eligible for consideration. Agricultural product(s) should be comprised of at least 50 percent U.S. origin content by

weight, exclusive of added water, to be eligible for funding. Proposals that seek support for multiple commodities are also eligible. EMP funding may only be used to develop, maintain, or expand emerging markets for U.S. agricultural commodities and products through generic activities. EMP funding may not be used to support the export of another country's products to the United States, or to promote the development of a foreign economy as a primary objective.

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Foreign Agricultural Service

Notice of Funds Availability - Technical Assistance for Specialty Crops

Modification 1

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

TASC2015

Funding Opportunity Title:

Notice of Funds Availability -
Technical Assistance for Specialty
Crops

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

10.604 -- Technical Assistance for
Specialty Crops Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Apr 17, 2014

Creation Date:

Apr 17, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

May 19, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

May 19, 2014

Archive Date:

May 20, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$9,000,000

Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Any U.S. organization, private or government, with a demonstrated role or interest in exporting U.S. agricultural commodities may apply to the program. Government organizations consist of Federal, State, and local agencies. Private organizations include non-profit trade associations, universities, agricultural cooperatives, state regional trade groups, and private companies.
Agency Name:	Foreign Agricultural Service
Description:	The TASC program is designed to assist U.S. organizations by providing funding for projects that address sanitary, phytosanitary, or technical barriers that prohibit or threaten the export of U.S. specialty crops. U.S. specialty crops, for the purpose of the TASC program, are defined to include all cultivated plants, or the products thereof, produced in the United States, except wheat, feed grains, oilseeds, cotton, rice, peanuts, sugar, and tobacco.
Link to Additional Information:	TASC - Notice of Funds Availability
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: ELAINE PROTZMAN PROGRAM ANALYST Phone 202-720-5588 Elaine Protzman

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254059>

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program
Modifications 1& 2

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-BFR-004518
Funding Opportunity Title:	Beginning Farmer and Rancher

Opportunity Category:	Development Program
Funding Instrument Type:	Mandatory
Category of Funding Activity:	Grant
Category Explanation:	Agriculture
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.311 -- Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Apr 11, 2014
Creation Date:	May 7, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 12, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 12, 2014
Archive Date:	Jul 12, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$19,200,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applications may only be submitted by a collaborative state, tribal, local, or regionally-based network or partnership of qualified public and/or private entities. These collaborations may include the following entities: State Cooperative Extension Services; Federal, State, or tribal agencies; community based organizations; nongovernmental organizations; junior and four-year colleges or universities or foundations maintained by a college or university; private for-profit organizations; and other appropriate partners. Inclusion of beginning and/or non-beginning farmers and ranchers as part of the collaborative group is strongly encouraged.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	Beginning farmer education for adult and young audiences in the United States can be generally traced back to the advent of the 1862 and the 1890 Morrill Land Grant Acts. But for the first time, the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (Pub .L. No. 110-234, Section 7410), appropriated \$75 million for FY 2009 to FY 2012 to

develop and offer education, training, outreach and mentoring programs to enhance the sustainability of the next generation of farmers. The Agriculture Act of 2014 provided an additional \$20 million per year for 2014 through 2018. The reasons for the renewed interest in beginning farmer and rancher programs are: the rising average age of U.S. farmers, the 8% projected decrease in the number of farmers and ranchers between 2008 and 2018, and the growing recognition that new programs are needed to address the needs of the next generation of beginning farmers and ranchers.

Link to Additional Information:

[Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program](#)

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Reminders:

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004492

Funding Opportunity Title:

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture
Food and Nutrition

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food
CFDA Number(s):	Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 5, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 5, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 19, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014. A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 19, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014. A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application.
Archive Date:	Jul 19, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$9,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	This Challenge Area Focuses on the societal challenge to end obesity among children, the number one nutrition-related problem in the US. Food is an integral part of the process that leads to obesity and USDA has a unique responsibility for the food system in the United States. This program is designed to achieve the long-term outcome of reducing the prevalence of overweight and obesity among children and adolescents 2-19 years. The Childhood Obesity Prevention Program supports Multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants.
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention

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Forest Service**2015 National Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Program**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-FS-UCF-01-2015
Funding Opportunity Title:	2015 National Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Community Development Disaster Prevention and Relief Employment, Labor and Training Environment Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	50
CFDA Number(s):	10.675 -- Urban and Community Forestry Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 27, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 26, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2014
Archive Date:	Jun 14, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$900,000
Award Ceiling:	\$300,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education

Agency Name:
Description:

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Special district governments
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
State governments
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
County governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
City or township governments
Independent school districts
Forest Service
2015 Forest Service National Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Deadline: May 15, 2014
The Secretary of Agriculture has a congressionally designated advisory council that assists the U.S. Forest Service in establishing the grant categories and recommendations of final proposals for the Forest Service to consider.
This is the National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council (NUCFAC). The Council serves to advise the Secretary of Agriculture on the status of the nation's urban and community forests and related natural resources. The NUCFAC seeks to establish sustainable urban and community forests, by encouraging communities of all sizes to manage and protect their natural resources, which, if well managed, improves the public's health, well-being, economic vitality, and creates resilient ecosystems for present and future generations. The

Council recommends urban and community forestry projects that have national or multi-state application and impact through the U.S. Forest Service's competitive Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Program. This year, the National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council (NUCFAC) has identified three national grant categories: 1. Incorporating Urban Forests as Green Infrastructure into Urban Planning Practices that will result in improvements for ecologically underserved communities and regions. 2. Green Infrastructure Jobs Analysis 3. Utilizing Green Infrastructure to Manage and Mitigate Stormwater to Improve Water Quality An applicant may apply to more than one category; however they are to use a separate application for each category. The purpose of these grants is to address national issues. This RFP is not for local or State-wide projects. Click on link <http://www.fs.fed.us/ucf/nucfac.shtml> for full information on the 2015 Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant. Search [CFDA number: 10.675], or [Grant Opportunity No.: USDA-FS-UCF-01–2015]. The grant applications are to be submitted through www.grants.gov. Contact Nancy Stremple, Natural Resource Specialist, Executive Staff, National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council, (NUCFAC) nstremple@fs.fed.us or your Forest Service Regional Urban Forestry Program Manager, if you are interested in applying and have any questions. The Forest Service Regional Urban forestry

Coordinators are located at
http://www.fs.fed.us/ucf/contact_regional.html. For Region 2 Mountain the new contact is: Dana Coelho, dcoelho@fs.fed.us, Region 6 Pacific North West /Region 10 Alaska is: Kathy Sheehan, ksheehan@fs.fed.us, and Region 5 California, Hawaii and the Pacific Island Territories is: MaryLou Fairweather, mfairweather@fs.fed.us.

Link to Additional Information:

[National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council Website](#)

Contact Information:

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Nancy Stremple Urban Forestry
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[National Urban Forestry Grant](#)
[Program contact](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251856>

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Water for Agriculture Challenge Area
Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004468

Funding Opportunity Title:

Agriculture and Food Research
Initiative: Water for Agriculture
Challenge Area

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture
Environment

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

10.310 -- Agriculture and Food
Research Initiative (AFRI)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Feb 24, 2014

Creation Date:

Feb 24, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Aug 13, 2014 A Letter of Intent
(LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m.
Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:	(see Part IV A.). A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application. Please note that a LOI is not a required prerequisite for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on August 13, 2014. Aug 13, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014 (see Part IV A.). A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application. Please note that a LOI is not a required prerequisite for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on August 13, 2014.
Archive Date:	Sep 12, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	NIFA initiates a new challenge area to address critical water resources issues such as drought, excess soil moisture, flooding, quality and others in an agricultural context. Funding will be used to develop management practices, technologies, and tools for farmers, ranchers, forest owners and managers, public decision makers, public and private managers, and citizens to improve water resource quantity and quality. NIFA's approach will link social, economic, and behavioral sciences with traditional biophysical sciences and engineering to address regional-scale issues with shared hydrological processes and meteorological and

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[Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Water for Agriculture Challenge Area](#)

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004417

Funding Opportunity Title:

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture
Food and Nutrition

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Jan 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Jan 17, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 12, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Food Security Challenge Area require a Letter of Intent for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 12, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Food Security Challenge Area require a Letter of Intent for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.

Archive Date:

Jul 12, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$6,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$6,000,000

Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type requested in Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	In FY 2014, only proposals that focus on reducing crop and livestock losses in U.S. agricultural systems will be considered for funding. Proposed projects should develop and extend sustainable, integrated management strategies that reduce pre and post-harvest losses caused by diseases, insects, and weeds in crop and animal production systems, while maintaining or improving product quality and production efficiency. Proposals should aim to develop approaches for managing losses throughout the whole food system (production, harvesting, storage, processing, distribution, and consumption), and should address the social, economic, and behavioral aspects of food security. Project types supported by AFRI within this Challenge Area will propose multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects, Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants, and conferences and/or workshops.
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004412
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture

	Community Development Energy Environment Food and Nutrition Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Dec 23, 2013
Creation Date:	Dec 23, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 29, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Foundational Program Area require a Letter of Intent and is a prerequisite for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 29, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Foundational Program Area require a Letter of Intent and is a prerequisite for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.
Archive Date:	Oct 29, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$82,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type requested in Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The AFRI Foundational Program is offered to support research grants in the six AFRI priority areas to

continue building a foundation of knowledge critical for solving current and future societal challenges. The six priority areas are: Plant Health and Production and Plant Products; Animal Health and Production and Animal Products; Food Safety, Nutrition, and Health; Renewable Energy, Natural Resources, and Environment; Agriculture Systems and Technology; and Agriculture Economics and Rural Communities. Single-function Research Projects, multi-function Integrated Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants are expected to address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Foundational Program RFA for details).

Link to Additional Information:

[Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program](#)

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Modifications:

Department of Commerce

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The screenshot shows the homepage of Commerce.gov. At the top, there is an orange banner with the text "Visit [Beta.commerce.gov](https://beta.commerce.gov) to see a preview of our new look and feel." Below this is a dark blue header with the Commerce.gov logo and the text "AN OFFICIAL WEBSITE OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT". To the right of the logo is a search bar with the text "Search this site". Below the header is a navigation menu with links: Home, The Commerce Blog, Newsroom, Economic Indicators, Office of the Secretary, About Commerce, and Contact Us. Below the navigation menu is a breadcrumb trail: Home > About Commerce > Grants, Contracting, and Trade Opportunities at Commerce. The main content area has the title "Grants, Contracting, and Trade Opportunities at Commerce" and a link to a "Printer-friendly version". Below the title is a paragraph: "Learn more information about grants, contracting and trade opportunities here at the Department of Commerce using the information below." Below this paragraph are three links: "Grants at Commerce", "Contracting Opportunities with Commerce", and "Trade Opportunities through Commerce". Below these links are three sections: "Grants at Commerce" (with a link to "Department of Commerce (DOC)" and a sub-link "Grants Management"), "Economic Development Administration (EDA)", and "Health Insurance Marketplace" (with a link "LEARN MORE NOW"). To the right of the main content area is a sidebar with a section titled "CONNECT WITH US" and "COMMERCE SOCIAL MEDIA" with links to Facebook, YouTube, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Google+. Below this is a section titled "Health Insurance Marketplace" with the text "Health insurance that works for you—and your employees" and a link "LEARN MORE NOW".

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Hot Items

- **How to sell to the U.S. Department of Commerce** - publication designed to answer questions concerning doing business with the Federal Government—specifically, with the Department of Commerce.
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- **Government Contracting** - programs to assist small businesses.

DOC Organizations Contracting Vehicles

- Patent and Trademark Office (PTO)
 - Office of Procurement
 - National Institute of Standards & Technology (NIST)
 - NIST Acquisition Management Group
 - National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
 - Eastern/Central Regional Acquisition Management
 - Mountain Acquisition Management Division
 - Western Administrative Support Center
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Trade Opportunities through Commerce

Programs & Services

- **U.S. Commercial Service** - Offers valuable assistance to help your business export goods and services to markets worldwide. From this site you can access a global listing of trade events, international market research, and practical tools to help with every step of the export process.
- **Export.gov** - Export.gov is the U.S. Government's online entrypoint for U.S. exporters. The site organizes export-related programs, services and market research information from across 19 federal agencies and provides a sophisticated cross-agency search capability.
- **Manufacturing and Services** - Offers a well-coordinated, economical, and accessible array of services to help small businesses increase their export potential.
- **International Trade Update Newsletter** - Published monthly by the Office of Public Affairs of the International Trade Administration.
- **China Business Information Center** - China is a region of great opportunity for all types of companies - not just large multinationals. Doing business in China can still be challenging. The China Business Information Center site will help open the China market for your company.
- **Middle East and North Africa Business Information Center** - The Middle East and North Africa is a region of great opportunity for all types of companies - not just large multinationals, but business in the region can be challenging as well as rewarding. Find out whether doing business in the Middle East and North Africa is for you. What are the opportunities? What does it take to succeed? Let us help you assess your possible risks vs. potential rewards.
- **Business Information Services for the Newly Independent States** - The U.S. Government's primary market information center for U.S. companies exploring business opportunities in Russia and other Newly Independent States.
- **Platinum Key Service** - The platinum Key Service allows U.S. companies to take advantage of longer term, customized U.S. Commerce Service assistance including, but not limited to, identifying markets, launching products, developing major project opportunities, resolving commercial disputes and providing assistance on regulatory or technical standards matters in overseas markets.
- **Market Access and Compliance** - MAC's overall objectives are to obtain market access for American firms and workers and to achieve full compliance by foreign nations with trade agreements they sign with our country.

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Programs:

Modifications:

Reminders:

National Institute of Standards and Technology
FY 2014 Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program

And Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2014-NIST-SBIR-01
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2014 SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH (SBIR) PROGRAM
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.620 -- Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 19, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 21, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, May 2, 2014. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, May 2, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, May 2, 2014. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, May 2, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jun 3, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Potential applicants should carefully read the Full Announcement/FFO document for details on eligibility for the FY 2014 SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH (SBIR) PROGRAM. Each applicant for both Phase I and Phase II must qualify as a small business concern for research or R&D (R/R&D) purposes, as defined in Section 1.06 of this FFO, at the time of award. In addition, the

primary employment of the principal investigator must be with the small business at the time of the award and during the conduct of the proposed research. Primary employment means that more than one-half of the principal investigator's time is spent with the small business. Primary employment with a small business precludes full-time employment with another organization. Occasionally, deviations from this requirement may occur, and must be approved in writing by the NIST Grants Officer after consultation with the SBIR Program Manager. Further, a small business may replace the principal investigator on an SBIR Phase I or Phase II award, subject to approval in writing by the NIST Grants Officer. Personnel obtained through a Professional Employer Organization or other similar personnel leasing company may be considered employees of the awardee.

Agency Name:

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Description:

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) invites small businesses to submit Phase I research applications under this Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO). Firms with strong research capabilities in any of the areas listed in Section 9 of the Full Announcement/FFO document are encouraged to participate. Applications not addressing one of the Subtopics in Section 9 are not responsive to this FFO. NIST offers two types of Subtopics in Section 9 of this FFO: standard research "R" and tech transfer "TT" Subtopics. Both "R" and "TT" subtopics are intended to cultivate private sector innovation and foster and encourage participation by minority and

Link to Additional Information:

disadvantaged persons in
technological innovation.

[2014-NIST-SBIR-01 Full
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FY 2014 - 2015 Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)
Modification 3

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NOAA-NFA-NFAPO-2014-2003949

Funding Opportunity Title:

FY 2014 - 2015 Broad Agency
Announcement (BAA)

Opportunity Category:

Other

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Environment
Science and Technology and other
Research and Development

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

11.469 -- Congressionally Identified
Awards and Projects

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Dec 9, 2013

Creation Date:

Mar 25, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2015

Archive Date:

Oct 30, 2015

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled
"Additional Information on
Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants may be institutions
of higher education, nonprofits,
commercial organizations,
international or foreign organizations
or governments, individuals, state,
local and Indian Tribal governments.
Eligibility also depends on the

statutory authority that permits NOAA to fund the proposed activity. Refer to the CFDA in order to determine an applicant's eligibility. If the applicant is a university that has a NOAA Joint or Cooperative Institute (CI), the institution is encouraged to submit an application that will be associated with the CI. The application must specify the name of the CI, its most recent award number, and the NOAA-approved research theme applicable to the work to be performed in the project narrative. The application will use the facilities and administrative rate (F&A or Indirect Cost Rate) associated with most recent CI award.

Agency Name:

Department of Commerce

Description:

The purpose of this notice is to request applications for special projects and programs associated with NOAA's strategic plan and mission goals, as well as to provide the general public with information and guidelines on how NOAA will select proposals and administer discretionary Federal assistance under this Broad Agency Announcement (BAA). This BAA is a mechanism to encourage research, education and outreach, innovative projects, or sponsorships that are not addressed through our competitive discretionary programs. It is not a mechanism for awarding congressionally directed funds or existing funded awards. Funding for potential projects in this notice is contingent upon the availability of Fiscal Year 2014 and Fiscal Year 2015 appropriations. Applicants are hereby given notice that funds have not yet been appropriated for any potential activities in this notice. Publication of this announcement does not oblige NOAA to review an application, or to

Link to Additional Information:**Contact Information:**

award any specific project, or to obligate any available funds.

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Michele Pollard

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=249066>

**National Institute of Standards and Technology
Measurement Science and Engineering (MSE) Research Grant Programs**

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

2014-NIST-MSE-01

Funding Opportunity Title:

Measurement Science and Engineering (MSE) Research Grant Programs

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Science and Technology and other Research and Development;
Measurement and Engineering Research and Standards;
Arrangements for Interdisciplinary Research Infrastructure; Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

11.609 -- Measurement and Engineering Research and Standards
11.619 -- Arrangements for Interdisciplinary Research Infrastructure
11.620 -- Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Feb 25, 2014

Creation Date:

Feb 25, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

All NIST MSE Research Grant Programs except the FR Grant

Program - Applications will be considered on a continuing/rolling basis. Applications received after 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on June 2, 2014 may be processed and considered for funding under this FFO in the current fiscal year or in the next fiscal year, subject to the availability of funds. Except for applications submitted to the FR Grant Program, all applications submitted to the MSE Research Grants programs, paper and electronic, must be received prior to the posting of the FY 2015 NIST MSE Research Grants Programs FFO on Grants.gov in order to be processed under this FFO. The FR Grant Program - The deadline for paper applications to the FR Grant Program is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday, March 31, 2014. The deadline for electronic applications to the FR Grant Program is 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday, March 31, 2014. Applications to the FR Grant Program received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

All NIST MSE Research Grant Programs except the FR Grant Program - Applications will be considered on a continuing/rolling basis. Applications received after 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on **June 2, 2014** may be processed and considered for funding under this FFO in the current fiscal year or in the next fiscal year, subject to the availability of funds. Except for applications submitted to the FR Grant Program, all applications submitted to the MSE Research Grants programs, paper and electronic, must be received prior to the posting of the FY 2015 NIST MSE Research Grants Programs FFO

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Archive Date:

Mar 31, 2015

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Institutions of higher education; hospitals; non-profit organizations; commercial organizations; state, local, and Indian tribal governments; foreign governments; organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments; and international organizations. Applicants selected for awards under 15 U.S.C. § 278g-1 are encouraged, but not required, to select underrepresented minorities for participation.

Agency Name:

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Description:

NIST is soliciting applications for financial assistance for Fiscal Year 2014 (FY14) under the following programs: (1) the Material Measurement Laboratory (MML); (2) the Physical Measurement Laboratory (PML); (3) the Engineering Laboratory (EL); (4) Fire Research (FR); (5) the Information Technology Laboratory (ITL); (6) the NIST Center for Neutron Research (NCNR); (7) the Center for Nanoscale Science and Technology (CNST); (8) the Office of Special Programs (OSP), and (9) the Associate Director for Laboratory

Programs (ADLP). Specifics of these programs are detailed in the Full Announcement/FFO document. This funding opportunity will result in the award of grants or cooperative agreements. A grant or cooperative agreement is not the correct funding vehicle if the principal purpose is to provide products or services for the direct benefit or use of the federal government.

Link to Additional Information:

[2014-NIST-MSE-01 Full Announcement/FFO document](#)

Contact Information:

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Christopher Hunton Grants Technical
Assistant Phone 301-975-5718
[Agency Contact](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251835>

Economic Development Administration
FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
And Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAP2014
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development
Category Explanation:	The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to

foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

Expected Number of Awards:
CFDA Number(s):

11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities
 11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:
Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Original Closing Date for Applications:

Yes
 Nov 25, 2013
 Nov 26, 2013
 The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped by Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery

Current Closing Date for Applications:

confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2014; March 14, 2014 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2014; June 13, 2014 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2014; and October 17, 2015 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement

The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped by Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2013 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2014; March 14, 2014 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2014; June 13, 2014 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2014 ; and October 17, 2015 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
City or township governments

Eligible Applicants:

Private institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,
other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with
the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally
recognized)
State governments
County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a(n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to for-profit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located.

Agency Name:

Description:

Economic Development Administration
The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP)

Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:

[EDA Website](#)

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact your state representative. Please direct any questions to the EDA representative for your state. A complete list of EDA representatives is available on EDA's website at <http://eda.gov/contacts.htm>

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248297>

Economic Development Administration
Planning Program and Local Technical Assistance Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAPLANNING2012
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Creation Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until

superseded by a future announcement.

Archive Date:

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other
Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Regional Development

Category Explanation:

Regional planning and local technical assistance

Expected Number of Awards:

425

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

\$100,000

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

11.302 -- Economic Development Support for Planning
Organizations
11.303 -- Economic Development Technical Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Eligible Applicants

State governments

County governments

City or township governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher
education

Private institutions of higher education

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to section 3 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. § 3122) (PWEDA) and EDA's regulation at 13 C.F.R. § 300.3, the following types of entities are eligible to receive funding assistance from EDA: 1. District Organizations (as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 300.3); 2. Indian Tribes or a consortium of Indian Tribes; 3. States, cities, or other political subdivisions of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; 4. Institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or 5. Public or private non-profit organizations or associations acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State.

Agency Name

Economic Development Administration

Description

Pursuant to PWEDA, EDA announces general policies and application procedures for grant-based investments under the Planning and Local Technical Assistance programs. Under the Planning program EDA assists eligible recipients in creating regional economic development plans designed to stimulate and guide the economic development efforts of a community or region. As part of this program, EDA supports Partnership Planning investments to facilitate the development, implementation, revision, or replacement of Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS), which articulate and prioritize the strategic economic goals of recipients' respective regions. In general, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to the designated planning organization (e.g., District Organization) serving EDA-designated Economic Development Districts to enable these organizations to develop and implement relevant CEDS. In addition, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to Indian Tribes to help develop and implement CEDS and associated economic development activities. The Planning program also helps support planning organizations, including District Organizations, Indian Tribes, and other eligible Recipients, with Short Term and State Planning investments designed to guide the eventual creation and retention of higher-skill, higher-wage jobs, particularly for the unemployed and underemployed in the Nation's most economically distressed regions. The Local Technical Assistance program strengthens the capacity of local or State organizations, institutions of higher education, and other eligible recipients to undertake and promote effective economic development programs through projects such as feasibility analyses and impact studies.

Link to Additional Information

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

David Ives [Planning and Local TA email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=189193>

Economic Development Administration
FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance Programs Grant

Modification to Previous Grants Notice

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Opportunity Category:

Posted Date:

Creation Date:

Original Closing Date for Applications: The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered

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Nov 26, 2012

Nov 27, 2012

under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.

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Archive Date:

Mar 31, 2014

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Regional Development

Category Explanation:

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Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities
11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Eligible Applicants

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Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

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Agency Name

Economic Development Administration

Description

EDA provides strategic investments that foster job creation and attract private investment to support development in economically distressed areas of the United States. Under this FFO, EDA solicits applications from both rural and urban areas to provide investments that support construction, non-construction, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance programs. Grants made under these programs are designed to leverage existing regional assets to support the implementation of economic development strategies that advance new ideas and creative approaches to advance economic prosperity in distressed communities.

Link to Additional Information

[EDA's website](#)

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Senior Program Analyst [Kerstin Millius](#)

Synopsis Modification History

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

File Name	Date
Original Synopsis	Nov 26, 2012

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=208353>

Modifications:



Corporation for National and Community Service

General Program Overview

AmeriCorps provides resources, both human and financial, to organizations that engage Americans in intensive service to meet our country's critical needs.

Grantees use the funding to support AmeriCorps members for intensive service in their community. AmeriCorps grants partially cover the expense of operating an AmeriCorps program and do not cover general organizational expenses. A cash and in-kind match is required.

The main website can be accessed here: <http://www.nationalservice.gov>



For access to further funding information: [click here](#)

<http://www.nationalservice.gov/build-your-capacity/grants/funding-opportunities>

National Service In Georgia - 2012-2013

Meeting Community Needs in Georgia: More than **5,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Georgia. Serving at more than **650** locations throughout the state, these citizens tutor and mentor children, support veterans and military families, provide health services, restore the environment, respond to disasters, increase economic opportunity, and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) will commit more than **\$18,820,000** to support Georgia communities through national service initiatives. Through a unique public-private partnership, this federal

investment will leverage an additional **\$4,150,000** in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars.

AmeriCorps

This year, AmeriCorps will provide more than **1,500** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Georgia. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the **Georgia Commission for Service and Volunteerism**, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals serve through AmeriCorps VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses, and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **15,000 Georgia** residents have served more than **20 million** hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$42,720,000**.

[Download: AmeriCorps in Georgia \(PDF\)](#)

Senior Corps

More than **3,500** seniors in Georgia contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **2,600** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **1,000** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **150** groups across Georgia.

[Download: Senior Corps in Georgia \(PDF\)](#)

Social Innovation Fund

The Social Innovation Fund transforms lives and communities using limited federal investment as a catalyst to grow the impact of nonprofits with evidence of strong results. It harnesses the expertise of grant-making intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits and engages funding partners to contribute nearly three dollars to every one federal dollar invested. As the Social Innovation Fund network grows programs that work in Georgia, more people are able to overcome their most pressing challenges in the areas of economic opportunity, health, and youth development. The Social Innovation Fund is investing **\$170,000** in expanding the impact of **2** nonprofits in Georgia.

[Download: Social Innovation Fund in Georgia \(PDF\)](#)

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS annually engages more than five million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and national days of service; improves communities through the Social Innovation Fund, and leads President Obama's national call to service initiative, United We Serve. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

Reminders:



U.S. Department of Defense

Doing Business with the Department of Defense



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Doing Business with the DoD

Getting Started

This is the "how-to" section of working with the Department of Defense. Information includes guides on marketing to the DoD, government contracting basics and subcontracting fundamentals.

- [Guide to Marketing to the DoD](#)
- [Government Contracting: The Basics](#) (PDF)
- [DoD Subcontracting Program: The Basics](#) (PDF)
- [Marketing to the Department of Defense: The Basics](#) (PDF)
- [OSBP Guidebook to Facilitating Teaming Arrangements](#) (PDF)

Resources

[Procurement Technical Assistance Centers \(PTACs\)](#) 

Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTACs), are charged with assisting businesses in learning how to do business with federal, state, and local governments. PTACs are a local resource available at no or nominal cost that can provide assistance to business firms in marketing their products and services. They offer training to businesses on how to research and bid on contracts, assist with registration requirements, provide bid-matching services, and assist with pre and post contracting issues.

http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing_business/index.htm

Doing Business with DOD

- **Air Force Contract Opportunities**
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- **Army Contract Opportunities**
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Guide to DOD Contracting Opportunities
DOD Office of Small Business Programs
Small Business Innovation Research Programs and Other Helpful Links
- **DOD Contract Award Announcements**
- **Defense Acquisition University**
- **Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation (DFAR)**
Procedures, Guidance, and Information
- **Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)**

[FAR Documents, Information and Links](#)

A [list of quarterly video magazines](#) that provides a discussion of recent changes to the FAR and DFARS, insights into the regulatory process, and news/issues on the horizon. DPAP and DAU have embarked on this joint venture to provide contracting personnel with the latest news regarding actions effecting the FAR and DFARS.

- **Navy Contract Opportunities**
 - [Navy Acquisition One Source](#)
 - [Business Opportunities](#)
- **OSBP Programs**
 - Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program
 - Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) Program
 - Indian Incentive Program
 - Women-Owned Small Business Program
 - Historically Black Colleges and Universities / Minority Institutions Technical Assistance Program
 - Comprehensive Subcontracting Test Program
 - DOD Regional Councils for Small Business Education and Advocacy
 - Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Program
 - Historically Underutilized Business Zones Program (HUBZone)
- **Recovery & Reinvestment Act Opportunities**
 - [Search Opportunities](#)
- **Subcontracting Opportunities**
 - [Subcontracting Opportunities with DOD Major Prime Contractors](#)
 - [Doing Business with DOD](#)

http://www.defense.gov/landing/contract_resources.aspx

DoD Small Business Opportunities

The purpose of this section is to identify areas of potential small business growth that are new, developing, or have recently come to the attention of this office. The intent is not to duplicate information which exists through traditional acquisition tools.

DoD Service Forecasts

Future acquisition forecasts are prepared by a number of organizations within DoD. Forecasting methodologies vary by service but constitute the 'best estimate' of each.

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Navy

- [MSC](#)
- [NAVAIR](#)
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Air Force

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[Defense Logistics Agency](#)

Research:

Air Force -- Research Lab

Centers of Excellence: Autonomy, Cyber Security, and Research Data Analysis at Historically Black Colleges and Universities and Other Minority-Serving Institutions of Higher Education Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254571>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA

DoD Autism Idea Development Award Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254352>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA

DoD Peer Reviewed Medical Investigator-Initiated Research Award Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254513>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA

DoD Peer Reviewed Medical Clinical Trial Award Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254514>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Medical Discovery Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254515>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Medical Technology/Therapeutic Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254517>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic Clinical Trial Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254520>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic Idea Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254521>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
USSOCOM Extramural Biomedical Research and Development Broad Agency Announcement Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253922>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Ovarian Cancer Pilot Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253888>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Cancer Career Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254170>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Cancer Idea Award with Special Focus Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254173>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Ovarian Cancer Investigator-Initiated Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253890>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Lung Cancer Career Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253837>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
Biological Technologies Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254566>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Prostate Cancer Synergistic Idea Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254792>

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DoD Prostate Cancer Idea Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254793>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Gulf War Illness Investigator-Initiated Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254817>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Gulf War Illness Innovative Treatment Evaluation Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254821>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Gulf War Illness New Investigator Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254822>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - Tactical Technology Office
Innovative Systems for Military Missions Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254308>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - MTO - BAA0718
Direct On-chip Digital Optical Synthesizer (DODOS) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254058>DOD

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - Biological Technologies Office
Hand Proprioception Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254271>

Department of Defense
Missile Defense Agency STEM Outreach B.E.S.T. Robotics Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254402>

National Geospatial Intelligence Agency
National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency Academic Research Program Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254129>

Office of Naval Research
Compact High-Density Tactical Energy Storage Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254797>

Office of Naval Research
Naval Supply Systems Command
FY14 Acquisition Research Program Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254736>

Office of Naval Research
NAVSEA
CRNBAA14-001 Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254175>

Modifications:

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Lung Cancer Clinical Exploration Award
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253841>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Lung Cancer Idea Development Award
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253839>

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
Department of Defense (DoD) Research and Education Program for
Historically Black Colleges and Universities and Minority-Serving
Institutions (HBCU/MI) Equipment/Instrumentation
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254128>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - Defense Sciences Office
Defense Sciences Research and Technology
Modification 2
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=232795>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - MTO - BAA0718
Supply Chain Hardware Integrity for Electronics
Modification 2
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252082>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - MTO - BAA0718
Direct On-chip Digital Optical Synthesizer (DODOS)
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254058>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - Biological Technologies Office
Hand Proprioception
Modification 1

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Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - Defense Sciences Office
Defense Sciences Research and Technology
Modification 3

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=232795>

Office of Naval Research
Naval Supply Systems Command
FY13 - FY14 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS
Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for PEPFAR (President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief)
Funded Countries
Modification 17

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=207153>

Office of Naval Research
Naval Supply Systems Command
FY15 PROJECT ON ADVANCED SYSTEMS AND CONCEPTS FOR COUNTERING WMD (PASCC)
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254852>

Reminders:

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Modification 3

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	W911NF-12-R-0011
Funding Opportunity Title:	Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards: 1000
CFDA Number(s): 12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No
Posted Date: May 31, 2012
Creation Date: Sep 5, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications: Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date: Apr 30, 2017
Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Description:

This Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), which sets forth research areas of interest to the Army Research Laboratory (ARL) Directorates and Army Research Office (ARO), is issued under the paragraph 6.102(d)(2) of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), which provides for the competitive selection of basic research proposals. Proposals submitted in response to this BAA and selected for award are considered to be the result of full and open competition and in full compliance with the provision of Public Law 98-369, "The Competition in Contracting Act of 1984" and subsequent amendments.

Link to Additional Information:
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173578>

Department of the Army -- Materiel Command
 Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
 Modification 4

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: W911NF-12-R-0012
Funding Opportunity Title: Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement
 Grant
 Other
 Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other

Category Explanation:	Research and Development
Expected Number of Awards:	1000
CFDA Number(s):	12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 31, 2012
Creation Date:	Sep 5, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date:	Apr 30, 2017
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Description:	The purpose of this Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) is to solicit research proposals in the engineering, physical, life, and information sciences for submission to the Army Research Office (ARO) for consideration for possible funding. For ease of reference, this BAA is an extraction of the ARO sections of the Army Research Laboratory BAA.
Link to Additional Information:	ARL BAA web page
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: Ernest Dixon III Procurement Analyst Phone 919-549-4270 BAA Mailbox

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173593>

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
 Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	W911NF-12-R-0011
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	May 31, 2012

Creation Date:	May 31, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date:	Apr 30, 2017
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	1000
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	

No Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

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Department of Education

FORECAST OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2014

(As of December 20, 2013)

This document lists virtually all programs and competitions under which the Department (we) has invited or expects to invite applications for new awards and provides actual or estimated deadline dates for the transmittal of applications under these programs. The lists are in the form of charts – organized according to the Department's principal program offices – and include programs and competitions we have previously announced, as well as those we plan to announce at a later date. **If you are interested in applying for any upcoming grants with the Department of Education, please take the time to register with SAM at www.SAM.gov, as you must have an active account in order to submit a grant application with our agency. We recommend you register now even as you are looking for eligible grant programs so that your SAM registration is active by the time the application is published. This will allow you to focus on writing the application during the period the application is available and you are not spending a portion of that time obtaining SAM registration. Please click [here](#) to refer to the SAM tip sheet for additional information.**

Note: This document is advisory only and is not an official application notice of the Department of Education. We expect to provide updates to this document starting in the first week of November in a fiscal year and continuing through the following July.

Note on printing: For best results, print this document in landscape orientation.

ORGANIZATION OF THIS DOCUMENT

We have assigned to each principal office a separate chart as follows:

[Chart 1 - Institute of Education Sciences.](#)

[Chart 2 - Office of English Language Acquisition.](#)

[Chart 3 - Office of Elementary and Secondary Education.](#)

[Chart 4 - Office of Innovation and Improvement.](#)

[Chart 5 - Office of Postsecondary Education](#) (Link to IFLE Chart)

[Chart 6 - Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services](#) (links to [NIDRR](#), [SEP](#), [RSA](#) charts).

[Chart 7 - Office of Vocational and Adult Education.](#)

[Chart 8 - Office of the Deputy Secretary - ODS.](#)

GRANT APPLICATION INFORMATION

Here's how you can tell whether we've already published an application notice for a particular program or competition in the *Federal Register* and whether the dates we list in this Forecast of Funding Opportunities are actual or estimates:

If we have published the application notice, we will list the *Federal Register* (FR) volume and page number (e.g., 65 FR 53402) after the date in column two. The other dates for that program or competition (columns four and five) are actual (as opposed to estimated) dates.


If we do not follow the date in column two with an FR citation, it means that we have yet to publish the application notice, and the dates (columns, two, four, and five) are estimates only. The actual dates will appear in the official application notice for that program or competition in the *Federal Register*.

Date of Application Notice. In column two of the charts, we list the actual or estimated date for publication of the application notice for a given program or competition.


Grant Programs Overview at the Department of Education

To see the complete document click here: <http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>

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- [Grants.gov:](#) Application packages for ED programs
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Programs:

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): School Climate Transformation Grant Program: Local Educational Agency Grants CFDA Number 84.184G

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Grants Notice

ED-GRANTS-050714-002

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): School Climate

	Transformation Grant Program: Local Educational Agency Grants CFDA Number 84.184G
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	118
CFDA Number(s):	84.184 -- Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities National Programs
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 7, 2014
Creation Date:	May 7, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 23, 2014 Applications Available: May 7, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 23, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 23, 2014 Applications Available: May 7, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 23, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jul 23, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$23,625,000
Award Ceiling:	\$750,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible Applicants: LEAs, or consortia of LEAs, as defined by section 9101(26) of the ESEA.
Agency Name:	Department of Education
Description:	Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html . Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and

program contact information. Purpose of Program: The School Climate Transformation Grant Program--Local Educational Agency Grants provides competitive grants to local educational agencies (LEAs) to develop, enhance, or expand systems of support for, and technical assistance to, schools implementing an evidence-based multi-tiered behavioral framework for improving behavioral outcomes and learning conditions for all students. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.184G. Grant Program--Local Educational Agency Grants, CFDA number 84.184G, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the School Climate Transformation Grant Program Local Educational Agency Grants at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA numbers. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.184, not 84.184G).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\): School Climate Transformation Grant Program: Local Educational Agency Grants CFDA Number 84.184G; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Special Education Research CFDA Number 84.324A Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041014-006
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Special Education Research CFDA Number 84.324A
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.324 -- Research in Special Education
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Archive Date:	Sep 6, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	County governments Special district governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name:

Description:

For profit organizations other than small businesses
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
State governments
Private institutions of higher education
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
City or township governments
Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.
Department of Education
Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: <http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. The Director of the Institute of Education Sciences (Institute) announces the

Institute's FY 2015 competitions for grants to support education research and special education research. The Director takes this action under the Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002. The Institute's purpose in awarding these grants is to provide national leadership in expanding fundamental knowledge and understanding (1) of developmental and school readiness outcomes for infants and toddlers with or at risk for disability, and (2) of education outcomes for all students from early childhood education through postsecondary and adult education.

Purpose of Program: The central purpose of the Institute's research grant programs is to provide interested individuals and the general public with reliable and valid information about education practices that support learning and improve academic achievement and access to education opportunities for all students. These interested individuals include parents, educators, students, researchers, and policymakers. In carrying out its grant programs, the Institute provides support for programs of research in areas of demonstrated national need.

Competitions in This Notice: The Institute will conduct seven research competitions in FY 2015 through two of its National Education Centers: The Institute's National Center for Education Research (NCER) will hold five competitions: One competition for education research, one competition for education research training, one competition for education research and development centers, one competition for statistical and research methodology in education, and one competition for partnerships and collaborations focused on problems of practice or

policy. The Institute's National Center for Special Education Research (NCSER) will hold two competitions: one competition for special education research and one competition for special education research training.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers: 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the Education Research, Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the

Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant applications for the Education Research, Special Education Research, Education Research Training, Special Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, and the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search

Link to Additional Information:

(e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).
[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\):
Special Education Research CFDA
Number 84.324A; Notice inviting
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Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Jacob K. Javits Gifted
and Talented Students Education Program CFDA Number 84.206A Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-050114-001

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Elementary and Secondary
Education (OESE): Jacob K. Javits
Gifted and Talented Students
Education Program CFDA Number
84.206A

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

8

CFDA Number(s):

84.206 -- Javits Gifted and Talented
Students Education

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

May 1, 2014

Creation Date:

May 2, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 24, 2014 Applications Available:
May 1, 2014. Deadline for Notice of
Intent to Apply: May 21, 2014. Notice
of Intent to Apply: We will be able to

develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if we know the approximate number of applicants that intend to apply for funding under this competition. Therefore, the Department strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify us of the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding by emailing Irene Harwarth at Irene.Harwarth@ed.gov. This short email message should include a subject line that reads ``Intent to Apply" and the text of the email should provide (1) the name of the applicant and (2) the contact person (name, phone number, and email). Applicants that do not submit an ``Intent to Apply" email may still apply for funding. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 24, 2014.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 24, 2014 Applications Available: May 1, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: May 21, 2014. Notice of Intent to Apply: We will be able to develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if we know the approximate number of applicants that intend to apply for funding under this competition. Therefore, the Department strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify us of the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding by emailing Irene Harwarth at Irene.Harwarth@ed.gov. This short email message should include a subject line that reads ``Intent to Apply" and the text of the email should provide (1) the name of the applicant and (2) the contact person (name, phone number, and email). Applicants that do not submit an ``Intent to Apply" email may still apply for funding. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 24,

Archive Date:

2014.

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Jul 24, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

\$400,000

Private institutions of higher education
Native American tribal organizations
(other than Federally recognized tribal
governments)

Special district governments

County governments

Native American tribal governments
(Federally recognized)

Others (see text field entitled
"Additional Information on
Eligibility" for clarification)

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City or township governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: State educational
agencies (SEAs), local educational
agencies (LEAs), institutions of higher
education, other public agencies, and
other private agencies and
organizations, including Indian tribes
and Indian organizations as defined in
section 4 of the Indian Self-
Determination and Education
Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 4506), and
Native Hawaiian organizations. Native
Hawaiian organizations are defined as
Native Hawaiian educational
organizations; Native Hawaiian
community-based organizations; and
institutions with experience in
developing or operating Native
Hawaiian programs or programs of
instruction in the Native Hawaiian
language; and consortia of the
previously mentioned organizations,
agencies, and institutions.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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description is a synopsis of
information in the Federal Register
application notice. For specific
information about eligibility, please
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<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official

application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The purpose of the Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Students Education (Javits) program is to carry out a coordinated program of scientifically based research, demonstration projects, innovative strategies, and similar activities designed to build and enhance the ability of elementary and secondary schools nationwide to meet the special educational needs of gifted and talented students. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA)

Number: 84.206A. Applications for grants under the Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Students Education Program, CFDA number 84.206A, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Javits program, CFDA number 84.206A, at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.206,

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[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\): Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Students Education Program CFDA Number 84.206A:: Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254573>

Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Special Education Research Training
CFDA Number 84.324B Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-041014-007

Funding Opportunity Title:

Institute of Education Sciences (IES):
Special Education Research Training
CFDA Number 84.324B

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

84.324 -- Research in Special
Education

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Apr 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Apr 10, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:
June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of
Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.
Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Sep 6, 2014

Archive Date:

Eligible Applicants:

Private institutions of higher education
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Special district governments
City or township governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
State governments
County governments
For profit organizations other than small businesses
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:

Description:

Department of Education
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available on GPO Access at:
<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. The Director of the Institute of Education Sciences (Institute) announces the Institute's FY 2015 competitions for grants to support education research and special education research. The Director takes this action under the Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002. The Institute's purpose in awarding these grants is to provide national leadership in expanding fundamental knowledge and understanding (1) of developmental and school readiness outcomes for infants and toddlers with or at risk for disability, and (2) of education outcomes for all students from early childhood education through postsecondary and adult education. Purpose of Program: The central purpose of the Institute's research grant programs is to provide interested individuals and the general public with reliable and valid information about education practices that support learning and improve academic achievement and access to education opportunities for all students. These interested individuals include parents, educators, students, researchers, and policymakers. In carrying out its grant programs, the Institute provides support for programs of research in areas of demonstrated national need. Competitions in This Notice: The Institute will conduct seven research competitions in FY 2015 through two of its National Education Centers: The Institute's National Center for Education Research (NCER) will hold

five competitions: One competition for education research, one competition for education research training, one competition for education research and development centers, one competition for statistical and research methodology in education, and one competition for partnerships and collaborations focused on problems of practice or policy. The Institute's National Center for Special Education Research (NCSER) will hold two competitions: one competition for special education research and one competition for special education research training.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers: 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the Education Research, Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant applications for the Education Research, Special Education Research, Education Research Training, Special Education Research Training, Education

Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, and the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Special Education Research Training CFDA Number 84.324B; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Project Prevent
Grant Program CFDA Number 84.184M Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-042914-001

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Elementary and Secondary
Education (OESE): Project Prevent
Grant Program CFDA Number
84.184M

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:	20
CFDA Number(s):	84.184 -- Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities National Programs
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 29, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 29, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 30, 2014 Applications Available: April 29, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 30, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 30, 2014 Applications Available: April 29, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 30, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jul 30, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$9,750,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible Applicants: LEAs, including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law.
Agency Name:	Department of Education
Description:	Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html . Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The Project Prevent Grant Program provides grants to local educational agencies (LEAs) to increase their capacity to help schools in communities with pervasive

violence to better address the needs of affected students and to break the cycle of violence. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.184M. Applications for grants under the Project Prevent Grant Program, CFDA number 84.184M, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Project Prevent Grant Program at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.184, not 84.184M).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\): Project Prevent Grant Program CFDA Number 84.184M: Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS):
Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA): Braille Training Program
CFDA Number 84.235E Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041514-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS): Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA): Braille Training Program CFDA Number 84.235E
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	3
CFDA Number(s):	84.235 -- Rehabilitation Services Demonstration and Training Programs
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 15, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 15, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 30, 2014 Applications Available: April 15, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: May 30, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 30, 2014 Applications Available: April 15, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: May 30, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jun 29, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$330,000
Award Ceiling:	\$110,000
Eligible Applicants:	County governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education State governments Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name:

Description:

Independent school districts
City or township governments
Special district governments
Eligible Applicants: States and public or nonprofit agencies and organizations, including institutions of higher education
Department of Education
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application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Braille Training competition at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.235, not 84.235E).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services \(OSERS\): Rehabilitation Services Administration \(RSA\): Braille Training Program CFDA Number 84.235E; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences CFDA Number 84.305B Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-041014-002

Funding Opportunity Title:

Institute of Education Sciences (IES):
Research Training Programs in the
Education Sciences CFDA Number
84.305B

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Archive Date:	Sep 6, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments For profit organizations other than small businesses Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments Private institutions of higher education State governments County governments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.
Agency Name:	Department of Education

Description:

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educators, students, researchers, and policymakers. In carrying out its grant programs, the Institute provides support for programs of research in areas of demonstrated national need.

Competitions in This Notice: The Institute will conduct seven research competitions in FY 2015 through two of its National Education Centers: The Institute's National Center for Education Research (NCER) will hold five competitions: One competition for education research, one competition for education research training, one competition for education research and development centers, one competition for statistical and research methodology in education, and one competition for partnerships and collaborations focused on problems of practice or policy. The Institute's National Center for Special Education Research (NCSER) will hold two competitions: one competition for special education research and one competition for special education research training.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers: 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the Education Research, Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this

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Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences CFDA Number 84.305B; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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Number 84.305C Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-041014-003

Funding Opportunity Title:

Institute of Education Sciences (IES):
Education Research and Development
Center Program CFDA Number
84.305C

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

84.305 -- Education Research,
Development and Dissemination

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Apr 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Apr 10, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:
June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of
Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.
Deadline for Transmittal of
Applications: August 7, 2014.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:
June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of
Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.
Deadline for Transmittal of
Applications: August 7, 2014.

Archive Date:

Sep 6, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

State governments
Public and State controlled institutions
of higher education
City or township governments
Private institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status
with the IRS, other than institutions of
higher education
For profit organizations other than
small businesses
County governments
Special district governments
Nonprofits that do not have a
501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other
than institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled
"Additional Information on

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligibility" for clarification)
Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers:
84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the
Education Research, Education
Research Training, Education
Research and Development Centers,
Statistical and Research Methodology

in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant applications for the Education Research, Special Education Research, Education Research Training, Special Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, and the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Education Research and Development Center Program CFDA Number 84.305C; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Statistical and Research Methodology in
Education CFDA Number 84.305D Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041014-004
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Statistical and Research Methodology in Education CFDA Number 84.305D
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Archive Date:	Sep 6, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	City or township governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Special district governments
State governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
County governments
Private institutions of higher education
For profit organizations other than small businesses

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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Catalog of Federal Domestic
Assistance (CFDA) Numbers:
84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D,
84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.
Applications for grants under the
Education Research, Education
Research Training, Education
Research and Development Centers,
Statistical and Research Methodology
in Education, the Partnerships and
Collaborations Focused on Problems
of Practice or Policy competitions,
Special Education Research, and
Special Education Research Training,
CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B,
84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A,
and 84.324B, must be submitted
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for each competition by the CFDA
number. Do not include the CFDA
number's alpha suffix in your search
(e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\):
Statistical and Research Methodology
in Education CFDA Number 84.305D:
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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy CFDA Number 84.305H Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041014-005
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy CFDA Number 84.305H
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of

Archive Date:
Eligible Applicants:

Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.
Deadline for Transmittal of
Applications: August 7, 2014.
Sep 6, 2014

Private institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status
with the IRS, other than institutions of
higher education
Public and State controlled institutions
of higher education
County governments
State governments
Nonprofits that do not have a
501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other
than institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled
"Additional Information on
Eligibility" for clarification)
Special district governments
City or township governments
For profit organizations other than
small businesses

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Applicants that
have the ability and capacity to
conduct scientifically valid research
are eligible to apply. Eligible
applicants include, but are not limited
to, nonprofit and for-profit
organizations and public and private
agencies and institutions, such as
colleges and universities.

Agency Name:
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Link to Additional Information:

of Practice or Policy competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy CFDA Number 84.305H: Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Small, Rural School Achievement (SRSA)
Program CFDA Number 84.358A Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-050114-002

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Elementary and Secondary
Education (OESE): Small, Rural
School Achievement (SRSA) Program
CFDA Number 84.358A

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

84.358 -- Rural Education

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

May 1, 2014

Creation Date:	May 1, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 30, 2014 Application Deadline: May 30, 2014, 4:30:00 p.m. Washington, DC time.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 30, 2014 Application Deadline: May 30, 2014, 4:30:00 p.m. Washington, DC time.
Archive Date:	Jun 29, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Which LEAs are eligible for an award under the SRSA program? An LEA (including a public charter school that is considered an LEA under State law) is eligible for an award under the SRSA program if-- (a) The total number of students in average daily attendance at all of the schools served by the LEA is fewer than 600, or each county in which a school served by the LEA is located has a total population density of fewer than 10 persons per square mile; and (b)(1) All of the schools served by the LEA are designated with a school locale code of 7 or 8 by the Department's National Center for Education Statistics (NCES); or (2) The Secretary has determined, based on a demonstration by the LEA and concurrence of the State educational agency, that the LEA is located in an area defined as rural by a governmental agency of the State. Note: The school locale codes are the locale codes determined on the basis of the NCES school code methodology in place on the date of enactment of section 6211(b) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended. Which eligible LEAs must submit an application to receive an FY 2014 SRSA Grant Award? An eligible LEA must submit an application to receive an FY 2014 SRSA grant award if that LEA has never submitted an

application for SRSA funds in any prior year. All eligible LEAs that need to submit an application to receive an SRSA grant award in a given year are highlighted in yellow on the SRSA eligibility spreadsheets, which are posted annually on the SRSA program Web site at

www2.ed.gov/programs/reapsrsa/eligibility.html.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Under the Small, Rural School Achievement (SRSA) program, the U.S. Department of Education (Department) awards grants on a formula basis to eligible local educational agencies (LEAs) to address the unique needs of rural school districts. In this notice, we establish the deadline for submission of fiscal year (FY) 2014 SRSA grant applications. An eligible LEA that is required to submit an application must do so electronically by the deadline in this notice. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.358A. An eligible LEA that is required to submit an application to receive FY 2014 SRSA

funds must submit an electronic application by May 30, 2014, 4:30:00 p.m., Washington, DC time. If it submits its application after this deadline, the LEA will receive a grant award only to the extent that funds are available after the Department awards grants to other eligible LEAs under the program. Submission of an electronic application involves the use of the Department's G5 System. Prospective applicants can access the electronic application for the SRSA Program at: www.g5.gov. When applicants access this site, they will receive specific instructions regarding the information to include in the SRSA application.

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\): Small, Rural School Achievement \(SRSA\) Program CFDA Number 84.358A; Application Deadline for Fiscal Year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS): Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA) : Centers for Independent Living CFDA Number 84.132A Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-050514-001

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Special Education and
Rehabilitative Services (OSERS):

	Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA) : Centers for Independent Living CFDA Number 84.132A
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	84.132 -- Centers for Independent Living
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 5, 2014
Creation Date:	May 5, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 1, 2014 Applications Available: May 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 4, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 1, 2014 Applications Available: May 5, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 4, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jul 1, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,257,912
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	1. Eligible Applicants: To be eligible for funding, an applicant must-- (a) Be a consumer-controlled, community- based, cross-disability, nonresidential, private nonprofit agency; (b) Have the power and authority to-- (1) Carry out the purpose of part C of title VII of the Act and perform the functions listed in section 725(b) and (c) of the Act and subparts F and G of 34 CFR part 366 within a community located within a State or in a bordering State; and (2) Receive and administer-- (i) Funds under 34 CFR part 366; (ii) Funds and contributions from private or public sources that may be used in support of a center; and (iii) Funds from other public and private programs; (c) Be able to plan, conduct, administer, and evaluate a center consistent with the standards and assurances in section 725(b) and (c) of the Act and subparts

F and G of 34 CFR part 366; (d) Either-- (1) Not currently be receiving funds under part C of chapter 1 of title VII of the Act; or (2) Propose the expansion of an existing center through the establishment of a separate and complete center (except that the governing board of the existing center may serve as the governing board of the new center) at a different geographical location; (e) Propose to serve one or more of the geographic areas that are identified as unserved or underserved by the States and Outlying Areas listed under Estimated Number of Awards; and (f) Submit appropriate documentation demonstrating that the establishment of a new center is consistent with the design for establishing a statewide network of centers in the State plan of the State or Outlying Area whose geographic area or areas the applicant proposes to serve.

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254691>

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Full-Service Community Schools Program CFDA Number 84.215J Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-050614-001

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Full-Service Community Schools Program CFDA Number 84.215J

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

10

CFDA Number(s):

84.215 -- Fund for the Improvement of Education

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

May 6, 2014

Creation Date:

May 6, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 20, 2014 Applications Available: May 6, 2014.
Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: May 21,

	<p>2014. Date of Pre-Application Webinar: Wednesday, May 21, 2014. Date of Pre-Application Webinar: The Department will hold a pre-application webinar for prospective applicants on Wednesday, May 21, 2014, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Washington, DC time. The webinar will discuss the purpose of the FSCS program, absolute and competitive preference priorities, application requirements, definitions, selection criteria, application content, submission requirements, and reporting requirements. Interested parties may obtain information about this webinar from the program Web site at http://www2.ed.gov/programs/communityschools/index.html. A recording of this webinar will be available on this Web site following the session. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 20, 2014.</p>
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Archive Date:	Jul 20, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$4,570,250
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible Applicants: To be eligible for a grant under this competition, an applicant must be a consortium consisting of an LEA and one or more community-based organizations, nonprofit organizations, or other public or private entities. Consortia must comply with the provisions governing group applications in 34 CFR 75.127 through 75.129 of EDGAR.
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Description:

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<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The Fund for the Improvement of Education (FIE), which is authorized by section 5411 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended (ESEA), supports nationally significant programs to improve the quality of elementary and secondary education at the State and local levels and to help all children meet challenging academic content and academic achievement standards. The Full-Service Community Schools (FSCS) program, which is funded under FIE, encourages coordination of academic, social, and health services through partnerships between (1) public elementary and secondary schools; (2) the schools' local educational agencies (LEAs); and (3) community-based organizations, nonprofit organizations, and other public or private entities. The purpose of this collaboration is to provide comprehensive academic, social, and health services for students, students' family members, and community members that will result in improved educational outcomes for children. The FSCS program is a "place-based" program (see http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/memoranda_fy2009/m09-28.pdf) that can leverage investments by focusing resources and drawing on the compounding effects of well-coordinated actions. Place-based approaches can also streamline otherwise redundant and disconnected programs. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.215J. Applications for grants under the FSCS Program, CFDA Number 84.215J, must be submitted electronically using the Government wide Grants.gov Apply site at

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Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Innovation and Improvement \(OII\): Full-Service Community Schools Program CFDA Number 84.215J; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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Modifications:

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Advanced Placement (AP) Test Fee Program
CFDA Number 84.330B

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252929>

Office of Postsecondary (OPE): Title III: Part F: Alaska Native-Serving Program CFDA Number 84.031R
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253833>

Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Education Research CFDA Number 84.305A
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253671>

OSERS/OSEP: Training and Information for Parents of Children with Disabilities: Parent Training and

Information Centers CFDA Number 84.328M

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253611>

Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE): Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HIS) Program
CFDA Number 84.031S

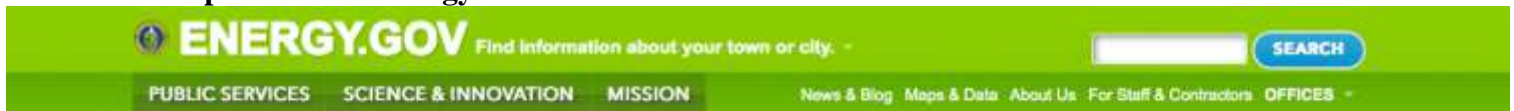
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Programs:

Department of Energy

Golden Field Office

Solar Market Pathways Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254038>

Golden Field Office

Request for Information : Clean Energy Manufacturing Topics Suitable for Establishment of a Manufacturing Institute Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254044>

Headquarters

Methane Observation Networks with Innovative Technology (MOVE) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253772>

Golden Field Office

Biological and Chemical Upgrading for Advanced Biofuels and Products Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253920>

Golden Field Office

Marine and Hydrokinetic (MHK) Demonstrations at the Navy's Wave Energy Test Site (WETS) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254358>

Headquarters

Methane Observation Networks With Innovative Technology To Obtain Reductions (Monitor) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254489>

Golden Field Office

Water Power Manufacturing Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253718>

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RFI: Hydrogen Contamination Detectors Grant

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Marine And Hydrokinetic Research And Development University Consortium Grant

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Local Thermal Management Systems To Reduce Building Energy Consumption Grant

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Headquarters

Delivering Efficient Local Thermal Amenities (DELTA) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254490>

Golden Field Office

Wind Forecasting Improvement Project in Complex Terrain Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253460>

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Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253354>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Grand Challenges in Subsurface Engineering Grant

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Modifications:

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Novel Crosscutting Research and Development to Support Advanced Energy Systems

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253861>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

FY2014 Methane Hydrates

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252494>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Advanced Turbine Components for Combined Cycle and Supercritical CO₂ Based Power Cycle Applications

Modification 1

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Modification 1

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Environmental Stewardship for Renewable Energy Technologies: MHK Environmental and Resource Characterization Instrumentation

Modification 1

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Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

Theoretical Research in Magnetic Fusion Energy Science Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0001102

Funding Opportunity Title:

Theoretical Research in Magnetic Fusion Energy Science

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Mar 18, 2014

Creation Date:

Mar 18, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 19, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 19, 2014

Archive Date:

Sep 19, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995. See Section III ? ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION of the FOA document for complete information regarding eligibility.

Agency Name:**Description:**

Office of Science
The Office of Fusion Energy Sciences (FES) of the Office of Science (SC), U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), announces its interest in receiving new or renewal grant applications for theoretical and computational research relevant to the U.S. magnetic fusion energy sciences program. Applications selected in response to this FOA will be funded in Fiscal Year 2015, subject to the availability of appropriated funds. The specific areas of interest are: 1. Macroscopic Stability 2. Confinement and Transport 3. Boundary Physics 4. Plasma Heating & Non-inductive Current Drive, and 5. Energetic Particles Specific information about each topical area is included in the Supplementary information section of the full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) document. Due to the limited availability of funds, Principal Investigators with continuing theory grants may not submit a new application in the same topical areas as their existing grant. A Principal Investigator may submit only one application in response to this FOA, but applications can target multiple topical areas. Multiple applications from the same institution are allowed, subject to the above constraints. The full text of the FOA is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at:
<https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001102&agency=DOE>.

Link to Additional Information:**Contact Information:**

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National Energy Technology Laboratory
Notice of Intent to Issue FOA Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0001097
Funding Opportunity Title:	Notice of Intent to Issue FOA
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Energy
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	11
CFDA Number(s):	81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 24, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 24, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	The application due date is dependent on date of FOA release.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	The application due date is dependent on date of FOA release.
Archive Date:	Jul 14, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$4,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$250,000
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	National Energy Technology Laboratory
Description:	The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy's (EERE) Vehicle Technologies Office (VTO) intends to issue a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled "Alternative Fuel and Advanced

Vehicle Deployment Initiatives" to decrease the nation's dependence on petroleum and reduce greenhouse gas emissions by accelerating the deployment of alternative fuels. This FOA intends to select projects that will create and implement high impact and highly innovative approaches to increase the acceptance and deployment of alternative fuels, within the following areas of interests: 1) Alternative Fuel Vehicle Demonstration and Enhanced Driver Experience Project; 2) Alternative Fuel Training activities for first responders, public safety officials, and critical service providers; and 3) Incorporating Alternative Fuels into Emergency Response and Preparedness Operations.

Link to Additional Information:
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Golden Field Office

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement No. DE-FOA-0000978
Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0001047

Funding Opportunity Title:

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement No. DE-FOA-0000978 Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Energy

Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	
Posted Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 14, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are not being accepted through this Notice of Intent (NOI).
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are not being accepted through this Notice of Intent (NOI).
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	Golden Field Office
Description:	<p>The purpose of this modification is to revise the Notice of Intent to include eligibility language for ALL Applicants and specifically for DOE Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs). The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) intends to issue, on behalf of the Wind and Water Power Technologies Office (WWPTO), a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled? Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations? EERE is an organization focused on achieving aggressive and well-defined mid-to-long term clean energy goals for the United States of America. In that context, EERE has established multi-year plans and roadmaps. EERE focuses the majority of its resources on a limited number of "highest probability of success" pathways/approaches to ensure that the program initiatives are supported at a critical mass (both in terms of dollars and time) for maximum impact. This roadmap-based approach is one of EERE's greatest strengths, which can create challenges in recognizing and exploring unanticipated, game changing pathways/approaches which may ultimately be superior to the pathways/approaches on our existing</p>

roadmaps. To enhance the responsiveness of the roadmap approach, EERE is issuing "Incubator" Funding Opportunity Announcements within its existing Offices and programs to support innovative technologies and solutions that could help meet existing goals but are not represented in a significant way in the Offices' existing Multi-Year Program Plans (MYPPs) or current portfolios. The Incubator programs will allow EERE to assess new technologies for their potential to be on ramped to future MYPPs. Successful incubator projects will reduce the risk associated with potentially breakthrough approaches and technologies so that they could be viable candidates for inclusion in future program roadmaps. The planned Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations? FOA continues the work of the Wind Program within EERE, and supports the long-term goals of WWPTO, which include: Lower the Levelized Cost of Energy (LCOE) of land-based utility-scale wind energy systems from 2011 reference costs¹ of 7.2 ¢/kWh (cents per kilowatt hour) to 4.2 ¢/kWh by 2030 ?Lower LCOE of fixed-bottom offshore utility-scale wind energy systems from 2011 reference costs¹ of 22.5 ¢/kWh to 13.7 ¢/kWh by 2030. The FOA encompasses applications for any and all ideas that have a significant potential to advance the mission of the Wind Program. All high-impact applications will be considered. The purpose of this Notice is to provide potential applicants advance notice that the Wind and Water Power Technologies Office, on behalf of EERE intends to issue a FOA titled, "Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations?".

NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED THROUGH THIS NOTICE.

Please do not submit questions or respond to this Notice of Intent. Prospective applicants to the FOA should begin developing partnerships, formulating ideas, and gathering data in anticipation of the

issuance of this FOA. It is anticipated that this FOA will be posted to EERE Exchange no later than March 2014. This Notice is issued so that interested parties are aware of the EERE's intention to issue this FOA in the near term. All of the information contained in this Notice is subject to change. EERE will not respond to questions concerning this Notice. Once the FOA has been released, EERE will provide an avenue for potential Applicants to submit questions.

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Contact Information:**

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Golden Field Office

Environmental Stewardship for Renewable Energy Technologies: MHK Environmental and Resource Characterization Instrumentation Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0000971

Funding Opportunity Title:

Environmental Stewardship for
Renewable Energy Technologies:
MHK Environmental and Resource
Characterization Instrumentation

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Energy

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

81.087 -- Renewable Energy
Research and Development

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Mar 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Mar 10, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

May 22, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

May 22, 2014

Archive Date:

Aug 22, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of
entity above), subject to any

Agency Name:

Description:

clarification in text field entitled
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Eligibility"

Golden Field Office

This FOA will support the development of instrumentation, associated signal processing algorithms or software, and integration of instrumentation packages for monitoring the environmental impacts of marine and hydrokinetic technologies. It will also support the development and testing of sensors, instrumentation, or processing techniques to collect physical data on ocean waves (e.g., height, period, directionality, steepness). The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>. Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx> after logging in to the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website.

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Golden Field Office

Administration of the Wave Energy Converter Prize Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000979
Funding Opportunity Title:	Administration of the Wave Energy Converter Prize
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Energy
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	
Posted Date:	Mar 10, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 14, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 14, 2014
Archive Date:	Aug 14, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	Golden Field Office
Description:	The Water Power Program is seeking a Prize Administrator with expertise in prize competitions to collaborate with DOE, technical experts, and a wave tank testing facility in developing and implementing the Wave Energy Converter (WEC) Prize. The WEC Prize competition aims to attract innovative ideas from developers new to the industry and next generation ideas from existing developers by offering a monetary prize purse and providing an opportunity for tank testing and evaluation of scaled WEC prototypes. The Program envisions that this competition will achieve game-changing performance enhancements to WEC devices, establishing a pathway to sweeping cost reductions at a commercial scale. Administration of the WEC Prize will

include: prize development, implementation of the WEC Prize competition stages (e.g. design, build, and test and evaluation), and post-competition publicity and evaluation of impact of the WEC Prize. The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>. Concept papers and applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the website <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx> after logging into the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website.

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Golden Field Office

DE-FOA-0001084 COMMERCIAL BUILDING TECHNOLOGY DEMONSTRATIONS
Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0001084

Funding Opportunity Title:

DE-FOA-0001084 COMMERCIAL
BUILDING TECHNOLOGY
DEMONSTRATIONS

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Energy

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):	81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 27, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 27, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Archive Date:	Aug 19, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Small businesses Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Special district governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Independent school districts For profit organizations other than small businesses State governments County governments City or township governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Individuals
Agency Name:	Golden Field Office
Description:	Advanced building technologies and systems can contribute to the cost-effective delivery of new buildings and retrofits that significantly lower building energy consumption. DOE seeks to fund demonstration and deployment activities for technologies that are ready for market adoption but that may be underutilized due to market barriers including perception of risk, gaps in information and data on performance

as well as cost. These technologies will offer a high degree of differentiation between current industry solutions, be widely replicable across the building size, sector and application and provide significant energy savings potential (as determined by market opportunity, site savings, and total potential savings at 100% penetration). Funding through this opportunity will enhance and accelerate the deployment and adoption of a broad range of competitively-solicited high impact energy saving technologies as well as new technology integration approaches. The technical and/or non-technical products of this funding should be deployed for scale up as a part of the award agreement and will enable investment-level decision-making by building owners, investors and operators in order to produce energy savings.

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PAMS
Department of Energy - Office of Science
Office of Science
FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000995
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Oct 1, 2013
Creation Date:	Oct 1, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2014
Archive Date:	Dec 31, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$400,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$0
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Additional Information on Eligibility:	All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995.
Agency Name:	Office of Science
Description:	The Office of Science of the Department of Energy hereby announces its continuing interest in receiving grant applications for support of work in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research, Basic Energy Sciences, Biological and Environmental Research, Fusion Energy Sciences, High Energy Physics, and Nuclear Physics. On September 3, 1992, DOE published in the Federal Register the Office of Energy Research Financial Assistance Program (now called the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program), 10 CFR 605, as a Final Rule, which contained a solicitation for this program. Information about submission of applications, eligibility, limitations, evaluation and selection processes and other policies and procedures are specified in 10 CFR 605.
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Every year, EPA awards grants through the [P3 award competition](#) to college teams across the country who participate in the [National Sustainable Design Expo](#). Above, Harvard, Wellesley, MIT, and Qinghai Normal University students developed a 3-in-1 solar cooker, heater, and electricity generator to help bring clean energy to the rural Himalayas. [Read more about this project.](#)

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Programs:

2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-F2014U-GRO-P1
Funding Opportunity Title:	2014 EPA GREATER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES (GRO) FELLOWSHIPS FOR UNDERGRADUATE ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	34
CFDA Number(s):	66.513 -- Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 11, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 11, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 27, 2014 Please refer to the announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 27, 2014 Please refer to the announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Archive Date:	Jun 26, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,700,000
Award Ceiling:	\$50,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.
Agency Name:	Environmental Protection Agency
Description:	The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as part of its Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships program, is offering undergraduate fellowships for bachelor level students in

environmental fields of study. The deadline for receipt of applications is May 27, 2014, at 11:59:59 PM ET. Subject to availability of funding and other applicable considerations, the Agency plans to award approximately 34 new fellowships. Eligible students will receive support for their junior and senior years of undergraduate study and for an internship at an EPA facility during the summer of their junior year. The fellowship provides up to \$20,700 per academic year of support and \$8,600 of support for a three-month summer internship.

Link to Additional Information:

[2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities \(GRO\) Fellowships for Undergraduate Environmental Study](#)

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2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

EPA-F2014U-GRO-P2

Funding Opportunity Title:

2014 EPA GREATER RESEARCH
OPPORTUNITIES (GRO)
FELLOWSHIPS FOR
UNDERGRADUATE
ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Other

Category of Funding Activity:

Environment

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

34

CFDA Number(s):

66.513 -- Greater Research
Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For
Undergraduate Environmental Study

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

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Apr 11, 2014

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Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,700,000
Award Ceiling:	\$50,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.
Agency Name:	Environmental Protection Agency
Description:	The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as part of its Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships program, is offering undergraduate fellowships for bachelor level students in environmental fields of study. The deadline for receipt of applications is May 27, 2014, at 11:59:59 PM ET. Subject to availability of funding and other applicable considerations, the Agency plans to award approximately 34 new fellowships. Eligible students will receive support for their junior and senior years of undergraduate study and for an internship at an EPA facility during the summer of their junior year. The fellowship provides up to \$20,700 per academic year of support and \$8,600 of support for a three-month summer internship.
Link to Additional Information:	2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships for Undergraduate Environmental Study
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2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-F2014U-GRO-P3
Funding Opportunity Title:	2014 EPA GREATER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES (GRO) FELLOWSHIPS FOR UNDERGRADUATE ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	34
CFDA Number(s):	66.513 -- Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 11, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 11, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 27, 2014 Please refer to the announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
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Archive Date:	Jun 26, 2014
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Award Ceiling:	\$50,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
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Link to Additional Information:

[2014 EPA GREATER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES \(GRO\) FELLOWSHIPS FOR UNDERGRADUATE ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY](#)

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2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study Grant

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2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study Grant

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2014 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study Grant

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Modifications:

National Clean Diesel Funding Assistance Program FY 2014 Request for Proposals (RFP) Modification 1

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-OAR-OTAP-14-05
Funding Opportunity Title:	National Clean Diesel Funding Assistance Program FY 2014 Request for Proposals (RFP)
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	20
CFDA Number(s):	66.039 -- National Clean Diesel Emissions Reduction Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	May 1, 2014
Creation Date:	May 1, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 17, 2014 Please refer to the full announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 17, 2014 Please refer to the full announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Archive Date:	Jul 17, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$9,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,200,000
Award Floor:	\$100,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.
Agency Name:	Environmental Protection Agency
Description:	EPA's Office of Transportation and Air Quality is soliciting proposals nationwide for projects that achieve significant reductions in diesel emissions in terms of tons of pollution produced by diesel engines and diesel emissions exposure, particularly from fleets operating in areas designated by the Administrator as poor air quality areas.
Link to Additional Information:	National Clean Diesel Funding Assistance Program
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CB-0806	National Abandoned Infants Resource Center	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program	ACF	01/02/2014

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HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CB-0806	National Abandoned Infants Resource Center	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2013-IHS-BHSA-0001	Domestic Violence Prevention Initiative Sexual Assault Projects Expansion	IHS	01/02/2014
HHS-2013-IHS-TSGN-0001	Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Service, Tribal Self-Governance Program, Negotiation Cooperative Agreement	IHS	01/02/2014

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Modifications:

Administration for Children and Families
Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB
Basic Center Program
Modification 2

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CY-0792
Funding Opportunity Title:	Basic Center Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	116
CFDA Number(s):	93.623 -- Basic Center Grant
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Creation Date:	May 9, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 12, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 14, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.

Archive Date:	Jun 13, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$18,166,163
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	<p>City or township governments</p> <p>County governments</p> <p>Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)</p> <p>State governments</p> <p>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities</p> <p>Special district governments</p> <p>Public and State controlled institutions of higher education</p> <p>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)</p> <p>Private institutions of higher education</p>
Additional Information on Eligibility:	<p>In selecting eligible applicants to receive grants under this FOA, priority will be given to private entities that have experience in providing shelter and services to runaway, homeless and street youth as required by the RHY Act. Private institutions of higher education must be non-profit entities. In addition to both public and nonprofit private entities, a combination of such entities can receive grants per section 5711(a)(1) of the RHY Act. Faith-based and community organizations that meet the eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Faith-based organizations are encouraged to review the ACF Policy on Grants to Faith-Based Organizations at: http://www.acf.hhs.gov/acf-policy-on-grants-to-faith-based-organizations. Individuals, foreign entities, and sole</p>

proprietorship organizations are not eligible to compete for, or receive, awards made under this announcement.

Agency Name:

Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB

Description:

MODIFICATIONS In the appendix, the State Allocation chart was revised to reflect sequestration amounts. The revision is based upon current FY14 appropriation amounts available to states. In Section IV.2, Content and forms, Certifications, and Assurances, an update regarding Certification of Filing Taxes is provided. In Section IV.2, The Project Description/Project Budget and Budget Justification, an update regarding limits to salaries exceeding the Executive Level II salary of the Federal Executive Pay scale is provided. In Section VIII, an updated link to the HHS Grants Policy Statement is provided. In Section IV, the deadline for applications has been extended two days due to the planned Grants.gov shut down. In Section VI.2. Administrative and National Policy Requirements, a new award term and condition has been added titled: Award Term and Condition for Federal Recognition of Same-Sex Spouses/Marriage. The Administration for Children and Families' (ACF), Administration on Children, Youth and Families' (ACYF), Family and Youth Services Bureau (FYSB) will award funding for the Basic Center Program (BCP). The purpose of the BCP is to provide an alternative for runaway and homeless youth who might otherwise end up with law enforcement or in the child welfare, mental health, or juvenile justice systems. The BCP works to establish or strengthen community-based programs that meet the immediate needs of runaway and homeless youth

and their families. The programs provide youth up to age 18 with emergency shelter, food, clothing, counseling and referrals for health care. Most basic centers can provide 21 days of shelter for up to 20 youth at a time. There are exceptions for jurisdictions that have different standards for licensing. Basic centers seek to reunite young people with their families, whenever possible, or to locate appropriate alternative placements. Services will include: street-based services; home-based services for families with youth at risk of separation from the family; drug abuse education and prevention services; and at the request of runaway and homeless youth, testing for sexually transmitted diseases.

Link to Additional Information:

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CY-0792>

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Administration for Children and Families
Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB
Basic Center Program
Modification 1

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Administration for Children and Families - OCS
Assets for Independence Demonstration Program
Modification 1

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Community-based Programs to Test and Cure Hepatitis C

Modification 3

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Community-based Programs to Test and Cure Hepatitis C

Modification 4

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Enhancing Cancer Genomic Best Practices through Education, Surveillance, and Policy

Modification 3

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254631>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Enhancing Cancer Genomic Best Practices through Education, Surveillance, and Policy

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254631>

Food & Drug Administration

Physiologically Based Absorption and Pharmacokinetic Modeling and Simulation for Non-gastrointestinally Absorbed Drug Products In Humans

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253186>

Food & Drug Administration

Pharmacometric Modeling and Simulation for Generic Drugs Evaluation

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253187>

Food & Drug Administration

Characterization of Critical Quality Attributes for Semisolid Topical Drug Products

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253188>

Food & Drug Administration

Dissolution Methods for Semisolid Ocular Drug Products

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253189>

Food & Drug Administration

Evaluation of in vitro release methods for liposomal drug products

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253192>

Food & Drug Administration

Development of Clinically Relevant in Vitro Performance Test for Generic ODPs: Physiologically

Relevant Models for Aerodynamic Particle Size Distribution Analysis
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253193>

Health Resources & Services Administration
Regional Public Health Training Center Program
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254052>

Health Resources & Services Administration
Public Health Traineeships Program
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254075>

Health Resources & Services Administration
Sickle Cell Disease Treatment Demonstration Program Regional Collaborative
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254268>

National Institutes of Health
NIH Blueprint Program for Enhancing Neuroscience Diversity through Undergraduate Research
Education Experiences (R25)
Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253041>

National Institutes of Health
Prevention and Treatment of Substance Using Populations with or at Risk for HCV (R21)
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252080>

National Institutes of Health
Prevention and Treatment of Substance Using Populations with or at Risk for HCV (R01)
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252081>

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health
HIV/AIDS Initiative for Minority Men (AIMM)
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254354>

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health
FY14 Announcement of Availability of Funds to Enroll Family Planning Clients into Health Insurance
Programs
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253413>

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health

FY14 Minority Youth Violence Prevention: Integrating Public Health and Community Policing Approaches

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254851>

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health

FY14 Youth Empowerment Program II: (YEP II)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254885>

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration

"Now is the Time" Project AWARE Local Educational Agency Grants

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253948>

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration

Minority AIDS Initiative Continuum of Care Pilot - Integration of HIV Prevention and Medical Care into Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment Programs for Racial/Ethnic Minority Populations at High Risk for Behavioral Health Disorders and HIV

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=254272>

Reminders:

National Institutes of Health

PAR-13-357 Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH Clinical Center (X02)

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

PAR-13-357

Funding Opportunity Title:

Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH Clinical Center (X02)

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Health

Income Security and Social Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

93.172 -- Human Genome Research

93.173 -- Research Related to

Deafness and Communication

Disorders

93.233 -- National Center on Sleep

Disorders Research
 93.242 -- Mental Health Research
 Grants
 93.273 -- Alcohol Research
 Programs
 93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction
 Research Programs
 93.286 -- Discovery and Applied
 Research for Technological
 Innovations to Improve Human
 Health
 93.393 -- Cancer Cause and
 Prevention Research
 93.394 -- Cancer Detection and
 Diagnosis Research
 93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research
 93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research
 93.399 -- Cancer Control
 93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases
 Research
 93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research
 93.839 -- Blood Diseases and
 Resources Research
 93.853 -- Extramural Research
 Programs in the Neurosciences and
 Neurological Disorders
 93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and
 Transplantation Research
 93.856 -- Microbiology and
 Infectious Diseases Research
 93.865 -- Child Health and Human
 Development Extramural Research
 93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Sep 20, 2013

Creation Date:

Sep 23, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Nov 20, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Nov 20, 2014

Archive Date:

Dec 21, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

City or township governments
 Native American tribal governments
 (Federally recognized)
 Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status
 with the IRS, other than institutions

of higher education
 Independent school districts
 For profit organizations other than
 small businesses
 Special district governments
 Public housing authorities/Indian
 housing authorities
 Nonprofits that do not have a
 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other
 than institutions of higher education
 Small businesses
 State governments
 Native American tribal organizations
 (other than Federally recognized
 tribal governments)
 County governments
 Others (see text field entitled
 "Additional Information on
 Eligibility" for clarification)
 Private institutions of higher
 education
 Public and State controlled
 institutions of higher education
 Other Eligible Applicants include the
 following: Alaska Native and Native
 Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Asian
 American Native American Pacific
 Islander Serving Institutions
 (AANAPISISs); Eligible Agencies of
 the Federal Government; Faith-based
 or Community-based Organizations;
 Hispanic-serving Institutions;
 Historically Black Colleges and
 Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native
 American Tribal Governments
 (Other than Federally Recognized);
 Regional Organizations; Tribally
 Controlled Colleges and Universities
 (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or
 Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.)
 Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not
 eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-
 U.S.) components of U.S.
 Organizations are not eligible to
 apply. Foreign components, as
 defined in the NIH Grants Policy
 Statement, are not allowed.

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name:

Description:

National Institutes of Health

The goal of this program is to support collaborative translational research projects aligned with NIH efforts to enhance the translation of basic biological discoveries into clinical applications that improve health. It encourages high quality science demonstrating the potential to result in understanding an important disease process or lead to new therapeutic interventions, diagnostics, or prevention strategies within the research interests and priorities of the participating NIH Institutes/Centers (ICs).

Link to Additional Information:

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-13-357.html>

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243234>

National Institutes of Health

Direct Phase II SBIR Grants to Support Biomedical Technology Development

Modifications 1 & 2

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

PAR-14-088

Funding Opportunity Title:

Direct Phase II SBIR Grants to Support Biomedical Technology Development

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Health

Income Security and Social Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

93.121 -- Oral Diseases and

Disorders Research
93.172 -- Human Genome Research
93.173 -- Research Related to
Deafness and Communication
Disorders
93.233 -- National Center on Sleep
Disorders Research
93.242 -- Mental Health Research
Grants
93.273 -- Alcohol Research
Programs
93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction
Research Programs
93.286 -- Discovery and Applied
Research for Technological
Innovations to Improve Human
Health
93.307 -- Minority Health and Health
Disparities Research
93.350 -- National Center for
Advancing Translational Sciences
93.351 -- Research Infrastructure
Programs
93.393 -- Cancer Cause and
Prevention Research
93.394 -- Cancer Detection and
Diagnosis Research
93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research
93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research
93.399 -- Cancer Control
93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases
Research
93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research
93.839 -- Blood Diseases and
Resources Research
93.846 -- Arthritis, Musculoskeletal
and Skin Diseases Research
93.853 -- Extramural Research
Programs in the Neurosciences and
Neurological Disorders
93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and
Transplantation Research
93.856 -- Microbiology and
Infectious Diseases Research
93.859 -- Biomedical Research and
Research Training
93.865 -- Child Health and Human

	Development Extramural Research 93.866 -- Aging Research 93.867 -- Vision Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 5, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 19, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 7, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 7, 2017
Archive Date:	Feb 7, 2017
Eligible Applicants:	Small businesses
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, may be allowed.
Agency Name:	National Institutes of Health
Description:	The purpose of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is to encourage applications to the newly authorized Direct-to-Phase II SBIR grant mechanism. Applications are invited from eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) that have demonstrated the scientific and technical merit and feasibility of the prototype stage of developing a biomedical technology that has commercial potential, R&D that is characteristic of Phase-I (R43) SBIR projects. The Direct-to-Phase II grant mechanism is intended to facilitate SBIR-type R&D, to expand R&D opportunities for applicant small business concerns (SBCs), and to enhance the pace of technology development and commercialization.
Link to Additional Information:	http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-R-14-088.html
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Department of Homeland Security

The Department of Homeland Security enhances the ability of states, local and tribal jurisdictions, and other regional authorities in the preparation, prevention, and response to terrorist attacks and other disasters, by distributing grant funds. Localities can use grants for planning, equipment, training and exercise needs.

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DHS Financial Assistance

Financial Assistance Overview

Most DHS Components have authority to execute and manage financial assistance to support the DHS mission. Financial assistance is the transfer to a non-Federal recipient of anything of value for a public purpose, and in DHS includes grants, cooperative agreements, training, loans, direct payments, and National flood insurance.

Background

Although most DHS Components possess some grant-making programs, the majority of programs and funding exists within the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). DHS supports a wide variety of financial assistance including post-disaster relief and resilience, preparedness, boating safety, cybersecurity, research, university centers of excellence, and assistance to fire fighters. The chart below reflects the distribution of financial assistance activity and funding by DHS mission.

[DHS Financial Assistance by Component](#)

Financial Assistance Policy and Oversight (FAPO)

FAPO is within the DHS Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Undersecretary of Management. The office is the functional lead for the Financial Assistance Line of Business. FAPO is responsible for providing oversight, to include the issuance of policy, for all DHS financial assistance programs. The team works with DHS Components to ensure a "One DHS" approach for financial assistance. The Office consists of four units: Information Management and Reporting, Financial Assistance Policy, Financial Assistance Oversight and Strategic

Financial Assistance Resources

- DHS Components/Directorates issuing financial assistance
- Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
- United States Coast Guard (USCG)
- Science and Technology (SAT)
- Defense Nuclear Detection Office (DNDO)
- U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)
- National Protection and Programs Directorate (NPPD)
- Office of Health Affairs (OHA)
- Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)
- United States Secret Service (USSS)

Webpage can be viewed at: <http://www.dhs.gov/xopnbiz/grants/index.shtm#2>

Download these updated grant application tools and start planning your grant request now.

- [FY 2012 FP&S Grants Get Ready Guide](#). This short guide will help you kick-start your grant application. It identifies the most important elements of all the grant application questions.
- [FY 2012 FP&S Grant Self-Evaluation Sheet](#). This tool is based on the application scoring dimensions used by the peer reviewers. It can help you assess your organization's readiness to apply for a grant and help you plan your application.

Video Resources

Two short Fire Prevention and Safety Program videos provide information that can help potential applicants.

- The [FP&S Grants video](#) gives an overview of the FP&S Grant Program, describing the purpose of the grants, eligible activities, and evaluation criteria.
- The [Community Risk Assessment video](#) describes the different types of risk assessments that applicants can use and explains how the risk assessment's information can support grant requests. Community risk assessments are critical to creating an effective fire prevention and safety project, and they are required to obtain a FP&S grant.

Website Resources

Visit the [FP&S Grants home page](#) on the [Assistance to Firefighters Grants \(AFG\) website](#) to find more information about recent awardees and models of successful FP&S projects.

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Washington, DC 20472



FEMA

Dear FEMA Grantee:

In August 2011, Congress passed the Budget Control Act of 2011 (Public Law 112-25) to limit federal spending and reduce our national debt. To enforce annual spending limits, that law requires across-the-board funding reductions to almost every federal program, project, and activity through a process called "sequestration."

As a consequence, all federal agencies, including FEMA, will have to implement steep funding cuts, beginning in the current fiscal year. Leadership throughout FEMA and the Department of Homeland Security have been working hard to determine how we might best mitigate the impact of possible sequestration budget reductions on our state, local, tribal, territorial, non-profit and private sector partners.

Nonetheless, the sequestration order issued on March 1, 2013 will result in FEMA's current Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 funding levels being reduced by approximately 5%. This will result in a reduction to FEMA's State and Local grant funding levels of approximately \$104 million.

The sequestration reductions will affect FY 2013 funding levels for all GPD grants, subject to FEMA's final FY 2013 appropriation. Sequestration will not affect grants or cooperative agreements awarded in previous fiscal years.

We recognize the hardships that sequestration is likely to cause and thank you for your cooperation as we work together to manage these unfortunate circumstances. We value the important work that you do and appreciate your dedication to the security and resilience of the Nation. As always, your thoughts, questions and concerns are welcome.

Sincerely,

David J. Kaufman
Acting Assistant Administrator
Grant Programs Directorate

Federal Funding Alternative To AFG

State Administrative Agencies (SAA) apply for and administer Federal grants on behalf of their States, including FEMA Preparedness Grants. The SAA will work with eligible organizations to comply with the general requirements of grant programs or cooperative agreements. Contact your State's SAA to find out what current Federal funding opportunities may be available to your organization. A listing of the SAAs and points of contact can be found at <http://www.fema.gov/library/viewRecord.do?id=6363>.

Programs:

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
FY 2014 Citizenship and Integration Direct Services Grant Program: Citizenship Instruction and Naturalization Application Services Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-14-CIS-010-002
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2014 Citizenship and Integration Direct Services Grant Program: Citizenship Instruction and Naturalization Application Services Discretionary Grant
Opportunity Category:	Employment, Labor and Training
Funding Instrument Type:	
Category of Funding Activity:	
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	40
CFDA Number(s):	97.010 -- Citizenship Education and Training
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 1, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 1, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 16, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 16, 2014
Archive Date:	Jun 15, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$10,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$250,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	County governments City or township governments State governments Special district governments Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Independent school districts Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Public and State controlled institutions

Agency Name:

of higher education
Office of Procurement Operations -
Grants Division

Description:

Program Overview and Priorities The Office of Citizenship (OoC), within U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), Department of Homeland Security (DHS), is charged with promoting instruction and training on the rights and responsibilities of citizenship. USCIS recognizes that naturalization is an important milestone in the civic integration of immigrants.

Naturalization requirements, such as knowledge of English and of U.S. history and civics, encourage civic learning and build a strong foundation upon which immigrants can exercise their rights and responsibilities.

Through preparing for naturalization, immigrants will gain the tools to become successful citizens—ready to exercise their rights and meet their responsibilities as United States citizens. The goal of the Citizenship and Integration Grant Program is to expand the availability of high quality citizenship preparation services for lawful permanent residents in communities across the nation.

Additional activities that support this goal include making citizenship instruction and naturalization application services accessible to low-income and other underserved lawful permanent resident populations; developing, identifying, and sharing promising practices in citizenship preparation; supporting innovative and creative solutions to barriers faced by those seeking naturalization; increasing the use of and access to technology in citizenship preparation programs; working with local libraries, which serve as a vital resource for immigrant communities;

and engaging receiving communities in the citizenship and civic integration process.

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Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
DHS S&T Coastal Resilience Center of Excellence – Center Partner Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-14-ST-061-COE-001B
Funding Opportunity Title:	DHS S&T Coastal Resilience Center of Excellence – Center Partner
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	3
CFDA Number(s):	97.061 -- Centers for Homeland Security
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 4, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 4, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 3, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 3, 2014
Archive Date:	Aug 2, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$100,000
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
Description:	The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Science and Technology Directorate (S&T) Office

of University Programs (OUP) requests applications from U.S. colleges and universities to serve as a partner institution for a Coastal Resilience Center of Excellence. OUP is posting a separate FOA for eligible applicants to submit lead proposals for consideration. Please see FOA Number DHS- DHS-14-ST-061-COE-001A on <http://www.grants.gov>. DHS may add individual project partners from applications received for either the Center Lead FOA or the Center Partner FOA to the Coastal Resilience Center. Principal Investigators that are already Partners under a Center Lead application may not submit an application under this Partner FOA.

Link to Additional Information:

[DHS S&T Office of University Programs Funding Opportunities](#)

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Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
Domestic Nuclear Detection Office: Academic Research Initiative (ARI) Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DHS-14-DN-077-ARI-001

Funding Opportunity Title:

Domestic Nuclear Detection Office:
Academic Research Initiative (ARI)

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other
Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

8

CFDA Number(s):

97.077 -- Homeland Security
Research, Development, Testing,
Evaluation, and Demonstration of
Technologies Related to Nuclear

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Threat
Posted Date:	No
Creation Date:	May 8, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 8, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 13, 2014
Archive Date:	Jun 13, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	Jul 13, 2014
Award Ceiling:	\$3,000,000
Award Floor:	\$350,000
Eligible Applicants:	\$30,000
	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Private institutions of higher education
	Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
Description:	The ARI Program has two primary objectives: 1) Engage the academic community to advance fundamental knowledge for nuclear and radiological threat detection, nuclear forensics and related sciences with emphasis on fundamental research to solve long-term, high-risk challenges and 2) Develop human capital for the nuclear science and engineering profession. Further, the program works to sustain a long-term commitment to basic research in this field and coordinates research efforts across the federal government. The ARI program seeks novel cross-cutting research that will enhance the nation's ability to detect and interdict nuclear or radiological material outside of regulatory control, and otherwise help prevent nuclear or radiological attacks. This year's Solicitation topics will emphasize original early-stage research which demonstrates quantifiable improvements over existing methods.
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Modifications:

Department of Homeland Security - FEMA
Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
Center of Excellence (COE) - Center for Borders, Trade and Immigration Research (CBTIR) Center
Partner
Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253432>

Reminders:

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
BioWatch Program: 2014-2015 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-2014-OHA-BIOWATCH
Funding Opportunity Title:	BioWatch Program: 2014-2015
Opportunity Category:	Continuation
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Disaster Prevention and Relief Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	27
CFDA Number(s):	97.091 -- Homeland Security Biowatch Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015
Archive Date:	Oct 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$29,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$4,500,000
Award Floor:	\$178,220
Eligible Applicants:	County governments State governments City or township governments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	State and Local Governments must be invited by DHS to apply. DHS

will invite governmental organizations to apply for continuation funding under this FOA. In addition, as part of ongoing improvements in the BioWatch Program, DHS may evaluate requests for some direct support of laboratories that analyze samples collected under the Program. If necessary, this FOA will also award an unspecified number of supplemental awards to current recipients in the event of emergencies, Special Events with National Significance, and limited alterations to current recipients to ensure a secure and resilient nation with the capabilities to thwart terrorist attacks.

Agency Name:

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division

Description:

The BioWatch Program is a cornerstone of the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) comprehensive strategy for countering biological terrorism. The BioWatch Program is an early warning system that is designed to detect the intentional release of select aerosolized biological agents. The BioWatch Program's mission is to provide and maintain a continuous bio-terrorism air monitoring system in metropolitan areas and coordinate with state and local public health communities to prepare for and respond to a bioterrorist event. This mission is accomplished by serving as an early warning system which enhances the security of jurisdictions by providing the needed time to execute their comprehensive concept of operations plans to counter biological terrorism. The Biowatch Program is a critical part of an ongoing national effort to build and sustain preparedness which helps the

United States to maintain momentum through targeted jurisdictional planning that highlights preventative actions necessary to allow for a proper and timely response and begin the process to recovery from a biological agent release. The BioWatch Evaluation Program (BWEPP) will be conducted under the BioWatch Quality Assurance Program effective April 1, 2013. This program will consist of independent external audits (Quality Assurance) by Signature Science and internal audits (Quality Control) by BioWatch Systems Program Office field personnel. This approach will initially be conducted with a focus on adherence to the BioWatch Field Operations Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), Version 1.3 and will eventually evolve to encompass the Field Operations Quality Assurance Program Plan (QAPP). In order to ensure a robust QA / QC program the jurisdictions may be subject to a QA external audit and a QC internal audit during the same cooperative agreement cycle (year).

**Link to Additional Information:
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Department of Housing and Urban Development

 This is a screenshot of the HUD.GOV website's "Grants" page. The header includes the HUD.GOV logo, navigation links like "HOME", "PRESS ROOM", and "ABOUT HUD", and a search bar. The main content area is titled "Grants" and includes a "Print Friendly Version" link. The text explains that HUD awards grants to organizations and groups for various purposes and provides a list of links for more information, including "HUD's grants office", "Funds Available", "Funding announcements", "Highest Scoring Grant Applications", "Training", and "Important SAM Alert". It also includes a "Using Grants.gov" section with instructions on how to participate in the HUD grants program, including registering with Grants.gov and obtaining a DUNS number. A "NEWS Alert" is displayed, stating that the Grants.gov PMO has discovered an issue with the newest version of Adobe Reader XI, and provides a link to a compatibility table for additional information. At the bottom, there are direct links to the Grants.gov website for Applicants, Grantors, and E-Biz POCs.

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HUD awards grants to organizations and groups for a variety of purposes. To participate in the HUD grants program, you need to be registered with Grants.gov.

- **HUD's grants office** - the Office of Departmental Grants Management and Oversight (ODGMO) was established to develop a Department-wide perspective on grants management.
- **Funds Available** - Identifies HUD's competitive funding opportunities, also known as Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA).
- **Funding announcements** - Announcements of those who were awarded grants.
- **Highest Scoring Grant Applications**
- **Training** - identifies various training webcasts relating to grants.
- **Important SAM Alert** - Application registration and submission.

Using Grants.gov

To participate in the HUD grants program, you will need to be registered with Grants.gov, obtain a DUNS number and Register with CCR.

• **NEWS Alert! The Grants.gov PMO has discovered an issue with the newest version of Adobe Reader XI**

Applicants may encounter the following error that will prevent them from submitting their application:

"At least one required field was empty. Please fix the required field (highlighted) before continuing."

While we continue to investigate this issue, we recommend that if applicants encounter this issue, they submit their application using any version below Adobe Reader XI. Please refer to our [compatibility table](#) for additional information about supported versions of Adobe Reader.

Below are direct links to the Grants.gov website where the WebEx presentations can be viewed:

- **For Applicants**
- **For Grantors**
- **For E-Biz POCs**



HUD - Notice of Funds Available

For detailed information [click here](#)

FY 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2013 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs

This Notice provides prospective applicants for HUD's competitive funding with the opportunity to become familiar with the General Section to HUD's FY2013 Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) for Discretionary Funding (program NOFA), in advance of publication of any individual FY2013 program NOFAs. This General Section and the individual FY2013 program NOFA Sections comprise the entirety of the FY2013 NOFA instructions.

- [General Section](#)
- [FONSI](#)
- [New Application Attachment Filename Requirement](#)

Programs

Modifications

Section 811 Project Rental Assistance Program

Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5700-N-28
Funding Opportunity Title:	Section 811 Project Rental Assistance Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	12
CFDA Number(s):	14.326 -- Project Rental Assistance Demonstration (PRA Demo) Program of Section 811 Supportive Housing for Persons with Disabilities
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 4, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 18, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 14, 2014
Archive Date:	May 25, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$120,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Any housing agency currently allocating Low Income Housing Tax Credits (LIHTC) under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Service Code of 1986 or any state housing or state community development agency allocating and overseeing assistance under the HOME Investment Partnerships Act (HOME) or a similar federal or state program. An Eligible Applicant may also be a state, regional, or local housing agency or agencies; or a partnership or collaboration of state housing agencies and /or state and local/regional housing agencies. See Sections III.A for additional information related to Eligible Applicant. To be eligible, the agency must have a formal partnership with the State Health and Human

Agency Name:

Services/Medicaid agencies (See Section III below for specific information).

Department of Housing and Urban Development

Description:

This Section 811 PRA Program seeks to identify, stimulate, and support sustaining state approaches that will transform the provision of housing for persons with disabilities while providing access to appropriate supports and services. This NOFA will provide project-based rental assistance funding to housing agencies. These funds are only available to be used as project-based rental assistance for housing units integrated in multifamily properties that are set-aside for extremely low-income persons with disabilities who are eligible for community-based long term care services and supports provided under a State Medicaid Program or other comparable long-term services program, plus administrative costs as defined in Section I.C.1 below. This is not a voucher program. This Section 811 PRA program will support successful and promising state partnership models that have been developed to increase the number of permanent housing units for persons with disabilities with access to appropriate services.

Link to Additional Information:

[Grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov) **APPLY**

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Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs
Modification 1

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Reminders

Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5800-N-01
Funding Opportunity Title:	Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs
Opportunity Category:	Other
Funding Instrument Type:	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 19, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 19, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 19, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 19, 2015
Archive Date:	Feb 20, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	All applicants must have valid, active Registration in SAM prior to submission of applications for financial assistance, as required in 2 CFR 25.200. Each Program NOFA will describe additional applicant eligibility requirements. The Department does not provide direct services or products to individuals through its formula-based Programs or its competitive Program NOFA process. NOTE: HUD does not provide grants directly to individuals
Agency Name:	Department of Housing and Urban

Description:

Development Requirements. The General Section describes the requirements that are applicable to all HUD FY 2014 Program NOFAs. The General Section provides summary information on the Department's priorities and strategic goals. Each Program NOFA will describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, cross-program requirements such as nondiscrimination, environmental protection, and any additional program requirements or limitations. To adequately address all of the application requirements for any program, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the applicable Program NOFA.

**Link to Additional Information:
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